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## TUGBOAT WRECK MAY COST LIVES

### MEMBER SCOFFS AT NEW BUDGET

Mr. J. W. Jones, in Slashing Criticism of Minister of Finance's Speech, Ridicules "Government Surplus"

### CHARGES BREACH OF PRE-ELECTION PLEDGE

Arraigns Administration for Failure to Effect Reduction in Taxes—Belittles Claims About Credit Standing

HON. Dr. J. D. MacLean's 1925-26 Budget, read in the British Columbia Legislature on Monday, was the target for scathing criticism on the part of Mr. J. W. Jones, Conservative member for South Okanagan.

Forced by Election  
Dr. MacLean's promised economies, said Mr. Jones, were forced by the election campaign, but failure to bring down corresponding tax reductions were a breach of election promises, he said. Difficulty of getting capital to invest in British Columbia and the increase in unemployment were due to his taxation, he said. About by the government sinking millions in a few pet projects under the pretext of development. Notwithstanding accusations of socialism, he said the opposition would continue to press home the real facts on the floor of the House.

### PERMIT NOT NEEDED FOR HOME BREWING

OTTAWA DEPARTMENT ELUCIDATES LAW ON SUBJECT

Present Legislation Makes Provision for Manufacturing Beer for Family Use

OTTAWA, Nov. 18.—Complaints have been pouring into the Department of Customs and Excise protesting against the alleged issue of permits for the manufacture of "home brew." It is pointed out, however, that no licence or permits are issued in case of this nature, private individuals, for the reason that they are not required under the present Dominion legislation.

### STRESSES CANADA'S EMPIRE POSITION

SIR ESME HOWARD ADDRESSES CLUB IN NEW YORK

Says Dominion's Situation by Reason of Being an American Power Adds to Responsibility

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Complete liberty to each individual Dominion as to its own development, with hearty co-operation among them all and the Empire in matters of world-wide policy, is the only policy through which the British Empire would be able to continue to hold together and exert its influence in the world, Sir Esme Howard, British Ambassador to Washington, declared tonight in an address before the Canadian Club here.

Canada especially, he said, "by reason of her position as an American power, will have an exceptionally important part in the future development of the Empire."

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### HOUSE ASKS LASH FOR TRAFFICKERS

Major Gus Lyons' Resolution Urging Flogging as Punishment for Dope Vendors Is Passed in Legislature

### DEBATE APPLICATION TO CONVICTED WOMEN

Can't Make the Penalty Too Severe, Says Mrs. Smith—"Dark Ages," Suggests Laborite—Mr. Manson for It

TO flog or not flog created a thick fog of discussion in the Legislature yesterday when Major Gus Lyons, fourth member for Victoria, presented a resolution calling for an amendment to the Criminal Code to authorize the lash as a penalty for convicted traffickers in narcotic drugs. A dozen members of the House, including Mr. Speaker, Buckingham, were brought into the argument before the motion was passed. Attorney-General Manson was the second. Mr. F. A. Browne, Labor, Burnaby, considered that if flogging would alleviate the traffic in drugs, the traffic in narcotic drugs could be alleviated by flogging the brewers.

"Do you believe in flogging women?" the Burnaby member asked the mover of the resolution. "The resolution contains a clause providing that the application of the lash penalty is in the discretion of the judge."

### ANDREW H. PEPALL SECURES LIBERTY

TORONTO BROKER WINS EX-TRAORDINARY FIGHT

Embassy in Bond Transaction of Former Ontario Secretary Released at Los Angeles

TORONTO, Nov. 18.—According to a Washington dispatch to The Toronto Star, Andrew H. Pepall, who acted as emissary for Peter Smith when the latter was Provincial Treasurer of Ontario, in the purchase of bonds in Great Britain, has won his fight to avoid deportation to Canada and will be allowed to stay in the United States.

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### Claims the Soudan



KING FUAD OF EGYPT

In the address from the throne on the occasion of the opening of the Egyptian Parliament he reasserted the claims of his Government upon the Soudan. While the trip of Zaghouel Pasha, the Premier, did not bear fruit, the King is confident that new negotiations will soon be opened up.

### ALDERMAN DENIES CLUB LEADERSHIP

TELLS MONTREAL POLICE PROBE HE WAS NOT PRESIDENT

Admits Visiting Notorious Roadhouse Twice—Judge Makes Caustic Remarks

MONTREAL, Nov. 18.—If he was president of Lumpkins, Inc., for many years, a Montreal roadhouse, he was not aware of the fact, was the testimony of Alderman A. J. M. Gahbas at the police probe before Mr. Justice Gauthier this afternoon. Walter Scroggie, manager of the club, swore in the morning that the alderman was head of the organization. Alderman Gahbas testified that he was a member of the club and had been there only twice.

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### GENERAL CURRIE CHARGES WASTE

Declares \$150,000,000 Cost of Recruits Who Were of No Use to Fighting Line at the Front

### SIR ARTHUR DECLINES TO TAKE PART IN DISCUSSION

Quebec Member Reiterates Intention to Ask House to Investigate Startling Statement to Institute

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### Declines Political Controversy

Sir Arthur declined to be interviewed this morning, merely commenting that he refused to be involved in any political issue. He had nothing to add to what he had said, the exact substance of his remarks being embodied in the report of the proceedings of the Institute, and what was contained therein represented his statements accurately.

### Auto Men Fight HIGHER CITY TAX

WILL COMPILE FIGURES FOR PRESENTATION TO HOUSE

Stage and Taxi Drivers Confident They Will Defeat Proposal for Increased Levy on Vehicles

Stage operators, night-riding car proprietors and taxi drivers of Victoria, Sooke, Esquimalt and Nanaimo, to the number of between fifty and sixty, met at the Chamber of Commerce quarters last night and formed a committee to fight the city's attempt to secure power from the Legislature to place a heavier tax on cars, stages and similar vehicles.

### Great Britain Delays Action on Protocol While Consulting Dominions

PARIS, Nov. 18.—The British Government, through its Foreign Office, has requested the League of Nations not to place the security and disarmament protocol on the agenda for the next meeting of the council of the League of Nations, which will be held at Rome on December 8. The reason for this request is that the British Government considers it will be necessary to consult governments of the overseas Dominions before it will be able to proceed in the matter.

### SOUTH AFRICA'S LOYALTY PROVED

Under Premier Hertzog and Colleagues, Country Judged as Loyal as It Formerly Was

### WORK OF PARLIAMENTARY ASSOCIATION APPROVED

Daily Telegraph Declares Results Will Be Drawing Together of World-Famed Men of Empire

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## Five in Danger on Tug Bonilla Which Is Drifting Ashore

Boat Breaks Down Two Miles West of Carmanah Lighthouse—Is Drifting Landward, Report From Pachena Says—Other Message, However, Gives Some Hope for Safety of Crew

### CAPTAIN McFARLANE, OF VICTORIA, IN COMMAND

THE lives of five men are in peril aboard the Nitinat Cannery Company's tug Bonilla, which was reported last night to be broken down and drifting toward shore. At the time the message was received the tug was only two miles west of Carmanah lighthouse. The Pachena wireless station relayed the message down to the Gonzales station.

### Speaks of Dominions



SIR AUCKLAND GEDDES

Former British Ambassador to Washington, told a large London audience that the British Dominions that took out on the Pacific feet that in Washington there is an instinctive understanding of difficulties which, when they come to London, they have to explain laboriously in Downing Street.

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In Interview Writer Casts Doubt on Sincerity of the Friendship to France Expressed by King Alfonso

PARIS, Nov. 18.—Vicente Blasco Ibañez opened up his batteries again today in his campaign against King Alfonso of Spain and Primo Rivera, the Spanish military dictator. In an interview in Le Sol, the famous Spanish author repeated his charges against the Spanish monarch and the dictator, and declared he had found effective means of obtaining distribution in Spain of his pamphlet entitled "Alfonso Unmasked."

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Chinaman Fined for Having Firearms Without Authority for Carrying Same

Lee John, Chinaman, was fined \$10 with an additional \$2.50 costs for carrying a gun without a licence for so doing. Worse still the gun, an old one that did not belong to the accused but to his friend, was ordered confiscated by the magistrate on the ground that it was unsafe.

The action was taken at the instance of Provincial officer Jones, the accused being found on Cedar Hill Road. There was loud protesting on the part of his friend and partner, who produced a licence in his own name which he evidently thought carried the right for anyone to use the gun. There was still stronger protest when the confiscation order was made.

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## New Motion on Senate Brings Entire Harmony

Returned Soldier Members of Legislature Find Common Working Basis When Capt. Mackenzie and Col. Peck Withdraw Conflicting Resolutions Which Threatened Split—Ask Resubmission to Upper Chamber and Reorganization of Departments

THE returned soldier members of the British Columbia Legislature have "got together" in connection with projects to further the interests of ex-service men, and the split which was threatened in their ranks by a diversion of opinion in respect to the resolution introduced by Captain Ian Mackenzie, Vancouver member, and the amendment presented by Col. Cyrus Peck, V.C., Conservative member for the islands, has been healed. Under the chairmanship of General Odium, Vancouver, the returned soldier members of the House held a meeting late yesterday afternoon, and harmony was the result.

With the knowledge that the meeting was to take place, no definite stand on the question was taken at the meeting on Monday night of the Canadian Legion by Mr. H. Despard, twice, third member for Victoria, and the whole matter was left in abeyance pending the round-table conference of the returned soldier members of the House.

The Mackenzie motion, with its attack on the Canadian Senate, has been withdrawn; Col. Peck's amendment has been withdrawn, and in place of the two views has been substituted the following resolution, moved by Capt. Ian Mackenzie and seconded by Col. Cyrus Peck, V.C.

**The New Resolution**

"Whereas in Canada in the years following the Armistice all ex-service men's associations have repeatedly requested the establishment of a Royal Commission to investigate all phases of re-establishment; and whereas in response to that demand the present Federal Government has instituted the Re-establishment Commission; and whereas the said Commission visited and heard evidence in all the provinces of Canada;

"And whereas as a result of the comprehensive reports and recommendations of the said Commission and of the recommendations of a special Parliamentary Committee representing all parties in the House of Commons, legislation was introduced in and approved by the House of Commons for the more complete solution of the problems of re-establishment;

**PREMIER WITHHOLDS SUMAS INFORMATION**

Says Reclamation Scheme Was Not Government Project—Mr. Pooley Protests Far-Flung Point

Premier Oliver objected in the Legislature yesterday to Mr. Joshua Hinchcliffe's motion for a return of all correspondence pertaining to the dispute between the Government and the Sumas reclamation contractors in respect of the amount owing for the work. He took the point of order that the Legislature was not competent to deal with the matter, as the Land Settlement Board was, in its relation to Sumas, acting as dyking commissioners for the owners of the property.

"It is not a Government undertaking at all," said Mr. Oliver.

Mr. R. H. Pooley, Opposition leader, contended that this was a far-etched point, as \$3,000,000 of public money was invested in the project and the Government had taken great credit for the work in the election campaign.

Mr. Speaker Buckham reserved his decision.

**PREMIER BALKS ON TRAVELING EXPENSE**

Tells Mr. Pooley Question Would Require Voluminous Reply, But Suggests Mistake Possible

Ministers' traveling expenses were the occasion of another little flurry in the Legislature yesterday. Mr. R. H. Pooley, leader of the Opposition, protested that Mr. Speaker Buckham had unjustly rejected questions seeking information as to the expenses incurred by the ministers during the past six months. Premier Oliver suggested this was due to the voluminous nature of the information sought.

Mr. Pooley asked that two figures be given: one for the total amount of the expenses, and the other for the amount of the public money expended in making the trip.

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**QUALITY PRESS FIRE FAILS TO STOP SHOP**

Only Small Amount of Stock Damaged by Early Morning Blaze—Presses Running Already

Little damage was done to the Quality Press premises on Langley Street, by yesterday morning's fire, and the plant will be working again today, as usual. Mr. A. Linder said last night. Only a small amount of the stock was damaged by the blaze. The shop suffered only to the extent of bruised plaster and broken windows. The work of the firm will not be retarded.

**Quebec Girl to Wed Hon. Francis Erskine**

OTTAWA, Nov. 18.—The engagement is announced between Captain the Honorable Francis W. Erskine, youngest son of the Earl and Countess of Mar and Kellie of Allo, Scotland, and Phyllis, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Burdett, of Quebec. Captain Erskine has been a member of the House of Commons since 1911, and is now a member of the House of Commons.

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## The Session

Impressing the New Member—How It Is Done—A Storm on Lake Sumas—The Budget Speech—A Little Matter of Drafting

The Press (Calgary), Tuesday.

It is remarked in the House that new members are settling down to parliamentary procedure with general ease, in some cases with marked distinction, but there are still some matters in which the new member finds reason in the query of the member for Alberta, who wanted to know in committee today if the chairman, Capt. Ian Mackenzie, was conducting the formal procedure of introducing new bills, and yesterday, when some half-dozen of these were brought in on the Government side, it was to be observed that several members presented every appearance of mild bewilderment at the facility and rapidity with which older members conducted public business of the Legislature in the House of Commons.

There is not wanting a suspicion that certain of the older members, as Mr. Speaker pointed out, are in the display of their parliamentary aptitude.

The way of it is this. Hon. Attorney-General Manson, rising in his place, begs to present to Mr. Speaker a message from His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, accompanying a Bill "intituled" an act to amend the Motor Vehicle Act, or an act Respecting the Holding of Race Meetings, or, possibly, an act to amend the Conditional Sales Act. He moves to refer the said respective pieces of legislative wisdom—one at a time, of course—to a committee of the whole House. The motion is carried, with great promptitude. The House goes into committee of the whole, by the simple process of Mr. Speaker going through the motions of retiring with great dignity from the presence of the members, the said motions consisting in the act of Mr. Speaker getting out of the chair, and standing two yards to the right of the same. The chairman of committees takes his chair, not the sacred chair of the Speaker, but a mere ordinary chair, down on the physical level of the mere member. The chairman of committees receives and reads the bill with great promptitude, a motion that the "committee do now rise and recommend the introduction of the bill."

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Late in the afternoon the House settled down in committee of the whole to a really enjoyable discussion of the legal bonds to be picked in the provisions of a Bill to amend the Escheats Act. After a long discussion it was discovered that there was undoubtedly an ambiguity in the use of the word "thereof" in line five. It was admitted on all sides that it would be better to substitute the word "thereon." It was finally settled to the satisfaction of all honorable members

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# HOUSE ASKS LASH FOR TRAFFICKERS

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"Why not?" returned the lady member. "I hold no brief for either sex. If a woman breaks the law she should get the same punishment as a male lawbreaker. Women traffickers in narcotics can destroy the soul just as can a man, and they should be subjected to the same penalties."

"Do you say that in all seriousness?" questioned Mr. Harrison.

Not **Emphatically**

Mrs. Smith hedged. "Why not?" she asked.

"Evidently the question is embarrassing to the lady member," observed the member for Comox. Mrs. Smith's denial was rapid, whereupon Mr. Harrison again put his question and again Mrs. Smith evaded.

"I am not embarrassed," she reiterated. "It would take more than the member for Comox to embarrass me!"

Mr. R. H. Neelands, Labor, South Vancouver, thought that adoption of the lash as a penalty was a reversal to the dark ages. A man, he said, who peddled narcotic drugs was a victim of circumstances, because he was merely the tool of somebody else "higher up."

Cries of "No, no," from both sides of the House greeted his observation.

Major R. Burde, Independent, Alberni, recalled how, in the dark ages, a man charged with crime had one ear cut off. If charged again they clipped his second ear, and if he had no more ears, and sinned again, they poked out his eyeballs and cut a hole through his tongue so that he could not talk. The same punishments, he observed, were perpetrated on prisoners guilty of some religious sin, and he hoped sincerely that in the arguments which he felt would occur in connection with the Church Union Bill, old punishments would not be resurrected.

Mr. Speaker declared the member for Alberni out of order.

In speaking to the resolution, Major Lyons told of the havoc which had been caused by the use of narcotic drugs and the insidious manner in which the evil was injected into

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## SAY RAILING WOULD HAVE STOPPED CAR

At Coroner's Inquest It Is Set Out That Mr. Rennie's Auto Halted for Moment on Edge

The coroner's jury at the inquest covering the death of Mr. James Rennie in Sunday's accident on the Malahat reached a decision that it came to his death by accident. The evidence upon which the jury based its conclusions was that of Mr. Anthony Knowles, one of the occupants of the car, who escaped miraculously with little injury.

While the car hung on the edge of the declivity down which it later tumbled, carrying Mr. Rennie to his death, there was time for all three to get out of the auto, according to the evidence given by Mr. Knowles, who could not tell exactly how long the car remained steady in the position described, but it appeared to him some time. While the position of the car was conceived to be a dangerous one in the extreme, yet the occupants, he said, did not expect that it would tumble over as it did.

To the jury Mr. Knowles said that anything like a railing or a bedded log along the edge would have prevented the car from going over the edge.

The worm of the steering gear was broken when the car came to rest after rolling over the edge. Witness could not tell whether this break had occurred before the plunge down the hill and so caused the accident.

The night was foggy, and they were proceeding with caution. Only about 150 yards back the car had been stopped and the windshield wiped off. They were proceeding at about ten miles an hour just before the accident.

Mr. Rennie applied the brakes.

Turned Over Many Times

All three were in the car when it started down the declivity. Mr. Marwick was thrown out after the car had rolled over about three times. He was not badly hurt, but could not be present at the inquest. The auto came to rest after it had turned over about six times, and then Mr. Knowles crawled out like the worst. As he liberated himself from the car it started rolling again and went over about twice when it came to rest.

Mr. Rennie's body was found when the car stopped. The assistance of the occupants of a passing car was obtained and help given to get the victim from the wreckage and also to get in touch with the police.

The inquest was conducted before Coroner Dr. E. C. Hart.

MR. SORBY GAVE HIS BEST EFFORT TO PORT

As Secretary of Inner Harbor Association His Labor for Victoria Was Effective

The funeral of the late Thomas Charles Sorby, who passed away on Saturday at St. Joseph's Hospital, was largely attended yesterday morning. Services were held at 10:30 o'clock at the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. H. Patt officiated. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery. The hymn sung was "Peace, Perfect Peace," by E. Johnson at the organ, and the pallbearers were Messrs. Geo. McGregor, A. Jamieson, H. J. Pendray, E. H. Wilson, H. A. Bly, and W. A. Wolfenden.

The history of the Inner Harbor Association and its great scheme for the excavation and cleaning out of that part of Victoria's harbor, the deepening of the Inner Harbor channels and the reclamation of certain shallow lands along the shore.

The whole plan had its origin in the popular desire to place Victoria in a more important position as a port. Many of those who advocated the idea had no definite plan in mind for promoting the plan, relying on the government's promise of the appointment of a harbor commission. But to Mr. Sorby, an architect by profession and accustomed to working out the details of big building enterprises, better portage meant consideration of improved harbor conditions, and this he accomplished by the deepening of the harbor bottom to be dredged to a depth of thirty feet at low tide and built up along the shore.

The estimated cost of the proposed undertaking, which would have entailed the building of a temporary dam 1,350 feet across the harbor, the excavation of a further 180 or more acres, was \$5,290,000. Mr. Sorby, who from the time of its inception, had been secretary-treasurer of the Inner Harbor Association, went to Ottawa to lay his plans before the government. He was doomed to disappointment. But he never lost hope, and agitated the matter in season and out of season, his genuine belief in the great results which such an undertaking would bring to the city making him an enthusiastic propagandist for the main part of the project, viz. the excavating of the harbor, long after the possibility of improving the water frontage had been lost by the taking over of the land by industrial and commercial concerns. Dredging of necessity took the place of the excavating, and has cost the city large sums of money annually. Mr. Sorby had abundant figures to quote in this connection in the booklet which he brought out annually in support of his original scheme. This publication has found its way to port officials and port authorities all round the globe, and his map of the harbor and the suggested frontage is recognized as the most reliable in existence.

In addition to his interest in Inner Harbor improvement, Mr. Sorby prepared plans for the development of the Outer Harbor, and his plans formed the basis of those finally adopted in connection with the building of the breakwater and Ogden Point piers.

Child Succumbs to Burns

MONTREAL, Nov. 18.—Irene Hartlett, six, is dead as the result of burns received Saturday when her dress caught fire while she was playing near the stove.

## Candidate Ready to War On Narcotics Menace

Mr. Thomas Palmer, Contesting Police Commissioner, Declares Existence of Dope Ring in Victoria Is Not Mythical—Cites His Personal Experience as Constable to Prove Contentment—Says Department Here Is "Not Hitting on All Cylinders"

"MEMBERS of the drug combine will no doubt put up another candidate to oppose me, and they will spare no effort in the attempt to have him elected," Mr. Thomas Palmer, candidate for police commissioner at the forthcoming election, told members of the Local Council of Women on Monday, in the course of a short talk on the drug traffic.

"I have seriously considered the advisability of withholding a statement of the anti-drug traffic plank in my platform from the public until the last moment because of this drug ring," Mr. Palmer declared. "I can assure you that the ring is no myth. It is a strongly organized body, so intent on its malignant growth that I am certain there is no motive so low that they could not be actuated by it to prevent my election as commissioner."

"If I told you that there was an outbreak of some contagious disease such as smallpox, in the city, and that nothing was being done to prevent its ravages, you would be shocked, because you know what a dread disease that is."

Studied Dope Traffic

"By virtue of my nine and one-half years of experience with the local police force, during which time I made a special study of the dope traffic, I am in a position to know how it is spreading, not slowly, but by leaps and bounds. It is a peculiar trait of drug fiends, that when they are on the downward path, they are not content to tread it alone. They generally involve those who are nearest and dearest to them in the awful tolls of the terrible scourge."

"As nearly as I can remember, the last case of anyone being brought to justice for selling dope, happened about three years ago like this:

"During my tour of duty as traffic officer, I noticed several people whom I knew to be drug addicts frequenting a certain house. I reported this matter to my superior officer, who asked me if I could do anything in the matter. I told him I thought I could if he would give me a man to work with on the case. He did, and we watched the house for two or three nights."

"One night, about 10 o'clock, we saw a man who lived there leave the house and go to Chinatown. We followed him, but the labyrinthine of that district we lost him. We went back to the house and waited. A short time after he returned, and we arrested him on suspicion, and took him to the station. He was searched, and found to be in possession of a quantity of cocaine. We went back to the



MR. THOMAS PALMER

house again, this time with a search warrant, and arrested the woman who was in charge of the house. She also had some drugs in her pocket. While we were there, a matter of half an hour or so, six or seven known drug addicts came to this place, apparently in the force, I have a very thorough knowledge of the working of the department—not that of a mere outsider.

Many Good Men, But—

"Taking the department as a whole, there are many good men in it, but it might almost be likened to an automobile in the respect that it is not hitting on all cylinders. Due to my experience in the force, I have a very thorough knowledge of the working of the department—not that of a mere outsider."

"I resigned from the Police Department last May, and have since occupied a position with the Atkinson Motor Company. The remuneration is considerably more, and the work is far more congenial. Doubtless many people will say that my reason for running for commissioner is that I have an axe to grind. That is perfectly correct, I have. But that axe belongs to the public, and it must be sharpened to a keen edge in order to

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deal a death blow to the drug traffic in this city."

"The position of police commissioner is an honorary one, but I feel it would be criminal for anyone having the knowledge of the situation which I have not to come forward and do what I consider to be his duty."

"I stand before you today as a lone unit. I have no lodges or other organizations to whom I am appealing for support."

OBITUARIES

RENNIE—The funeral of the late William James Rennie, who was accidentally killed last Sunday evening on the Malahat Road, will take place this afternoon. The remains are resting at the Sands Funeral Chapel, and will be removed to his late home, 1067 Victoria Avenue, this morning, where the service will be conducted by the Rev. J. H. White. The remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

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**THE WEATHER**

Metropolitan Office, Victoria, B.C., at 3 p.m., November 18, 1924.

**SYNOPSIS**

A severe ocean storm, low centered off Prince Rupert, is causing southerly gales extending down the coast to Oregon. Moderate weather is spreading eastward to the Pacific.

**TEMPERATURE**

Place	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	42	51
Kamloops	38	48
Barkerville	34	42
Prince Rupert	30	40
Kaisan	28	38
Alton	26	36
Uxwaco, Y.T.	24	34
Uxwaco, Alta.	22	32
Winnipeg, Man.	20	30
Edmonton, Alta.	18	28
Calgary, Alta.	16	26
Regina, Sask.	14	24
Saskatoon, Sask.	12	22
Winnipeg, Ont.	10	20
London, Ont.	8	18
Quebec, P.Q.	6	16
Montreal, P.Q.	4	14
Halifax, N.S.	2	12
St. John's, Nfld.	0	10

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## City and District

**Not Same Man**—Mr. Ernest Charles Young, 1722 Albert Avenue, states he is not the Ernest Young fined recently in the Police Court for being drunk.

**Bishop Bridge Chapter**—A meeting of the Bishop Bridge Chapter, I.O. O.E., will take place this afternoon at 2:45 o'clock at the home of Mrs. David Warnock, 81 Louis Street.

**West End W.C.T.U.**—The monthly meeting of the West End W.C.T.U. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. W. Collins, 123 Fuller Avenue.

**Engineering Institute**—The Victoria branch, Engineering Institute of Canada, will meet today at 8 p.m. at 23 Brown Building, Broad Street, for nomination of officers and consideration of by-laws.

**Lectures on Britain**—The Victoria British Israel Association will meet on Thursday evening next, in Room 6, Surrey Block, Yates Street, at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Tate will give an illustrated lecture, "Trip Through the British Isles." All will be welcome.

**Crusaders Dance**—The Crusaders Club entertained a number of friends on Friday night at a barn dance in their new club at 475 Riverside Road. The hall was decorated appropriately for the occasion and a delightful time was spent by all.

**Sale of Work**—The Christ Church Cathedral W.A., evening branch, will hold a sale of work in the gymnasium of the new Memorial Church, corner Broadway Street, this afternoon. The sale will be opened at 8 o'clock by the Right Rev. C. D. Schofield, Bishop of Columbia.

**East Soke Dance**—Owing to the police ball being held on November 21, the East Soke Farmers' Institute dance has been changed to Tuesday, November 25, at Metcoshin Hall. Mr. C. Hunt's three-piece orchestra will perform, and a cheery evening is anticipated.

**Cloverdale P.T.**—A meeting of the Cloverdale Parents Teachers Association will take place at the Cloverdale School on Friday at 8 p.m. The meeting will take the form of an "at home." All parents will be able to meet the principal, Mr. J. N. O'Neill, and his staff. The ladies will provide refreshments.

**Auto Charge**—Charged with violation of the statutes with respect to the driving of automobiles, W. E. Matthews appeared in the police court yesterday. He was represented by Mr. H. A. Beckwith, who asked an adjournment until Friday. In doing so he took preliminary objection on the ground that there was a duplication of charges in the information.

**Sale of Work**—The ladies of the Grace English Lutheran Church will hold their annual sale of needlework and home-cooking on Tuesday afternoon and evening, December 2. The sale will be held in the church parlors at Queen's and Blanshard, and will be opened at 2:30 o'clock. Refreshments will be served both afternoon and evening.

**Appoint Substitute**—The School Board on Monday night appointed Miss Grace Beckwith substitute teacher at the Victoria High School to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Mr. Frank Andrews. A laboratory assistant for Mr. J. A. Cunningham, chemistry teacher at the High School, was also appointed by the board.

**Will Hold Dance**—St. Paul's Tennis Club will hold a dance on Tuesday, November 25, at the Parish Hall, Esplanade. Dancing will be enjoyed from 8:30 p.m. to midnight, with refreshments being served during the evening. Music will be furnished by Zala's orchestra. All members and their friends are invited to attend.

**Ladies' Musical Today**—The Ladies' Musical Club, in its November programme, which is taking place at 2:15 this afternoon at the Empress Hotel, is featuring the Seattle Ladies' Musical Club in a substitute teacher at the Victoria High School to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Mr. Frank Andrews. A laboratory assistant for Mr. J. A. Cunningham, chemistry teacher at the High School, was also appointed by the board.

**Seek K. Morrison**—The Canadian National Telegraph, 508 View Street, has received a message for one K. Morrison, announcing the death in Alaska of a man of that name. Although there are two known men of that name in the city, neither is acquainted with the dead man. The telegraph company would like to hear from anyone able to put them in touch with the relatives of the Alaskan.

**Club to Be Installed**—The new Gyro Club in Olympia, the capital city of Washington State, will be installed on Saturday night next, the ceremony being conducted under the auspices of the Gyro Club of Tacoma, members of the Victoria Gyro Club were informed at their luncheon yesterday. Victoria will likely be represented at the function. A community sing was conducted at the luncheon yesterday by Gyros Aubrey Kent and Tommy Behl.

**No Power to Exempt**—The civic court of revision yesterday informed Mr. O. C. Hush that it had no power to grant exemptions when the latter appeared before it yesterday afternoon to seek exemption from taxation on behalf of St. Anne's Orphanage. To hear the case Mr. Hush had made out for the orphanage, the court adjourned for a space and then sat as a committee of the City Council in order to bring back a report on the case to that body.

**Social for Y. M. C. A.**—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the local Young Men's Christian Association is endeavoring to provide funds wherewith to add touches of homeliness to the dormitories of the association which shall differentiate them from the merely rooming house or hotel. To this end a series of afternoon social teas have been arranged for, the first of which will be held at the home of Mrs. R. O. Howell, 1220 Radlin Street, today, between the hours of 3 p.m. and 6 p.m. All lady friends of the association are cordially invited.

**"Midnight Run" Lecture**—This evening at Centennial Church, Rev. E. W. Hilbert will give his illustrated

lecture on the Yukon, the second in the series. The slides and descriptions of this lecture will be entirely different from similar Mr. Hilbert has thus far given in the city. The lecturer's residence in Dawson for five years gave him first hand knowledge of the life of the North country. The descriptions tomorrow evening will touch on gold, wild animal life, hunting scenes, rich vegetable growth, the Brownie, the Central, and the long cold winters. Miss Belle Eiler, dramatic reader and instructor, well known in the city, is on the programme for two numbers, and Miss Lois Lockwood will sing two solos.

**Resolution of Sympathy**—At the meeting on Monday afternoon of the Local Council of Women, a standing vote of sympathy was passed to Mrs. Frank Andrews, recently bereaved through the death of her husband, Mrs. Schofield, who attended the sessions of the National Council in Toronto as a delegate from Victoria, was welcomed back. Messrs. Palmer and Standland, who are running for police commissioners, addressed the Council for a few minutes each, defining their stand on certain questions in their election. The former is a particularly ardent advocate of the suppression of the drug traffic, and both speakers favored the establishment of a Juvenile Court, although neither was prepared to say yet whether a judge should be appointed just yet.

**Public School Magazine**—Announcement of the winners in the Fire Prevention Essay competition is made in the Public School Magazine, which has just been received. These prizes were awarded as follows: First prize, grades seven and eight, Miss Margaret M. Wallace, North Ward School; second prize, May Johnson, Burnside School. First prize, grades five and six, Beatrice Central School; second prize, Pauline Havard, Quadra Street School. The first prize in this competition amounted to three dollars each, and the second prize to two dollars. These prizes are presented by D. M. Campbell of the Cameron Investment Co., and H. G. Dalby & Co., Mr. P. F. Patt, Secretary of the Victoria and District Fire Insurance Agents' Association, acted as final judge, for which he deserves our thanks. Contributions for the Christmas number of the Magazine are invited by the editor.

### Leopold-Loeb Lawyer To Debate in Montreal

MONTREAL, Nov. 18.—Clarence Darrow, Chicago attorney, famous in the recent Leopold-Loeb trial, known as the lawyer "who has never had a client hanged," and R. L. Calder, K.C., crown prosecutor, of Montreal, will debate here on the subject, "Resolved, that capital punishment should not exist in a modern penal code." Mr. Darrow taking the affirmative, it was announced here today.

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## AMENDMENT URGED TO UNION MEASURE

Presbyterian Meeting Petitions B.C. Government

Secret Ballot, Protection of Minority and Safeguarding of Trust Funds Asked

After listening to a two-hour address in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium last night by Rev. W. F. McConnell, of Toronto, on the church union question, two hundred opponents of the union of the Presbyterian Church with the Methodist and Congregational churches passed a resolution petitioning the British Columbia Legislature to amend the Charter of the Union Bill, now before the House, as to provide for the taking of a secret congregational ballot in Presbyterian churches, equitable distribution of congregations' property, and the safeguarding of trusts and trust funds.

The resolution, moved by Dr. W. L. Clay, and seconded by Mr. Thomas Humphries, passed unanimously.

It read as follows:

**The Resolution**

"Whereas the proposal to merge the Presbyterian Church in Canada in a new ecclesiastical organization is a matter of such grave concern that every member of that church should have the right to express his or her judgment thereon;

"Whereas the Parliament of Canada, in Chapter 100 of the Statutes of 1924, in incorporating the United Church of Canada, sought to secure that right by enacting that the vote by which congregations shall determine whether they shall enter the said United Church in Canada shall be by ballot with at least two weeks allowed for the taking of such ballot;

"Whereas the Bill now before the Legislature of B.C. makes no provision for such vote by ballot, but provides that the destiny of a congregation may not be present at such congregational meeting, of the right of determining their own ecclesiastical standing or the disposition of the property they have helped to create, through the agency of a majority vote at a congregational meeting, thus depriving such members of a congregation as may not be present at such congregational meeting, of the right of determining their own ecclesiastical standing or the disposition of the property they have helped to create, through the agency of a majority vote at a congregational meeting, thus depriving such members of a congregation as may not be present at such congregational meeting, of the right of determining their own ecclesiastical standing or the disposition of the property they have helped to create, through the agency of a majority vote at a congregational meeting, thus depriving such members 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## Vancouver Island

### TEACHERS OF ISLAND MEET AT COURTENAY

Third Annual Convention of North Vancouver Island Teachers' Institute was held on Thursday and Friday of last week when some fifty teachers from all parts of the north end of Vancouver Island were present.

One of the features of the convention was a display of world famous pictures in the form of lantern slides by Mr. John Kyle.

Councillor Theed Pearce, in the absence of the Mayor and as President of the Board of Trade, welcomed the visiting teachers to Courtenay in a concise address. Mr. G. W. Stubbs, President of the Institute and Principal of the Courtenay Public School, dwelt on the importance of the present educational year in British Columbia, because of the extensive survey which was being made by the Department.

**New Officers**  
The election of officers for the year resulted as follows: Hon. president, S. J. Willis, Esq., Superintendent of Education; president, Mr. F. R. Shennstone, Cumberland; vice-president, Mr. J. W. Young, Courtenay; secretary-treasurer, Mr. Geo. E. Apps, Cumberland.

Miss Riddell conveyed to the teachers her enthusiasm for music. An interesting discussion followed in which Principal Webb, of Nanaimo, urged all teachers to attempt singing, pointing out that the percentage of people who were stone deaf and therefore unable to teach singing was in the same relation to the percentage of those who were color blind. Plenty of people who imagined that they had no idea of music were entirely mistaken and could very soon learn to sing.

Mr. Kyle dealt with the subject of drawing. He stressed the importance of teaching design drawing and the ability to make a working drawing of a simple mechanical contrivance, because he felt that this was actual preparation for life work.

"The effect of the Minimum Wage Act in Vancouver, as far as the millinery trade is concerned, has been the cause of hate being imported from the United States and from the East," said Mr. Kyle, "as the milliners refused to pay the minimum wage of \$7 a week, claiming that apprentices are not worth that amount. If the minimum wage law is allowed to stand we shall have to educate our students until they are worth at least seven dollars a week, an obvious impossibility in some cases."

**Religion in Schools**  
The Rev. Father Deacon of Comox, spoke of the development of the will. He quoted the report of the Protestant clergy of the United States and the report of the School Commission of New York as saying that the weakness of the will and morality of the public schools was so great as to be disastrous to the children and a menace to the state. He strongly favored the introduction of moral and religious training in the schools, saying that the difficulties in the way were no greater than were difficulties in the road of responsible Government in Canada in the year 1836, when men were fighting for something better in the way of government.

Mr. Kyle said that if the religious denominations would formulate a scheme for the introduction of a programme of formal religious instruction, he felt sure it would have the favorable ear of the Department.

The members of the Courtenay School Board and others were the guests of the Institute at a banquet Friday evening, when the speakers were Messrs. G. W. Stubbs, G. E. Apps, Murray and Kyle. Inspector Patterson gave a talk on the intelligence and accomplishment tests which were being carried out as part of the educational survey in the evening the Courtenay School demonstrated geographical projects as an entertainment feature, when the guests were conducted through "India," "Holland," "Egypt," "Japan," "London," "Hudson's Bay" and "Riquelme Land," as arranged by the pupils of the various divisions. A special feature was the display of the largest map of India in the world.

#### HONOR WAR DEAD

**PARKSVILLE, Nov. 17.**—The armistice service held around the Memorial Cross was most impressive, over two hundred people being in attendance.

Some thirty veterans were on parade as well as the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides. Lieut. E. J. Peary, late of the Royal Horse Guards, called the roll of honor. After the hymns and addresses by the Rev. C. H. Popham and General Noel Money, a two-minute silence was observed, followed by "Last Post" sounded by Mr. Fred Hoare. Many beautiful wreaths were placed around the cross.

#### LADYSMITH NEWS

**LADYSMITH, Nov. 17.**—The dance given at Gould's Hall by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Ladysmith Hospital on Saturday night was well attended and a financial success. It is hoped that more affairs of this class will be arranged for the winter months.

On Saturday the I.O.O.F. put on a tag day and sale of poppies in aid of the G.W.V.A. This being pay day accounts for the date being changed from November 11, the usual time for this event.

The ladies of St. John's Anglican Church held a bazaar and sale of work at the K. of P. Hall Saturday. Some delicious home cooking was on sale and everything was sold rapidly.

#### DELEGATES EN ROUTE

**COURTENAY, Nov. 18.**—Messrs. Theed Pearce, Ben Hughes and J. N. McLeod left on this morning's train for Victoria, where, as delegates of the Courtenay-Comox Board of Trade, with representatives of other island boards, they will meet Hon. Dr. Buchanan, Minister of Public Works, at the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow at noon to discuss island roads.

### Drum Runner Injured In Ladysmith Mine

**LADYSMITH, Nov. 18.**—J. McKinnell, drum runner in number three mine at Ladysmith, was seriously injured today while at work, when he was hit by the brake rod of a drum and had his jaw broken in two places. He was rushed to Ladysmith Hospital where his injuries were given attention.

### COURTENAY TO FORM NAVAL CADET BAND

Dept. of Education Provisions for Musical Night Classes Likely to Be Used to Advantage

**COURTENAY, Nov. 17.**—As a result of the teachers' convention here last week Courtenay may have a naval cadet band in the near future. The convention opened with musical selections by the Cumberland school band under the conductorship of Mr. Murray, after which Mr. Murray and the band were warmly congratulated by members of the Department of Education on their splendid showing. Mr. John Kyle, A.R.C.A., Supervisor of Technical Education, told those present that if a band or orchestra were formed it could be run as a night school, when the Department would pay four-fifths of the salary of the instructor.

This remark aroused much interest in Courtenay that the School Board met Mr. Kyle and Captain Lloyd with a view to forming a band in connection with the Navy League. There is now every possibility that Courtenay will have a band of its own in the near future and that the bandmen will have a smart naval uniform. The instruments may be the property of the city under the care of the instructor, who would receive a salary and would be responsible for them.

### GIZEH TEMPLE BAND WILL GIVE CONCERT

Victoria Shriners' Brilliant Amateur Instrumentalists to Play at Royal Victoria

The Gizeh Temple Shrine Band will celebrate the commencement of its fourth year as an organization with a grand concert at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Wednesday evening, November 26, when they will also present to Victoria music lovers the well-known lyric tenor, Magnus Petersen, who has been scoring great successes in the course of a tour of North American cities.

The band is under the direction of Bandmaster James Miller, and in the course of the past three years has grown from small beginnings to a strength of thirty-two instruments. So well balanced is this organization of Victoria business men, it has earned high praise in Seattle, Vancouver and other centres where it has played for charitable objects, such as the raising of funds for hospitals.

Many of the most prominent men in the business life of Victoria are members of this musical aggregation, and the skill which has been developed by months of arduous practice will be a surprise and delight to the average citizen. The band has a repertoire of compositions which have taxed the abilities of some of the most famous organizations of the world, and attacks these difficult works with a sympathy and artistry which have aroused the admiration of noted experts and will prove a surprise to Victorians.

### A Plea for the Orphans' Home

By KILBEA GORDON

Victoria has many institutions and benevolent associations that are deserving of the generous support of the kindly inclined; but, while some people have a sympathetic leaning towards the Old Man's Home, or the Home of the Aged and Infirm; and others make a Christian practice of visiting and assisting the sick and injured at our well-conducted local hospitals; and still others happily indulge in private and practical kindnesses to those who are needy and distressed, there is one institution in Victoria that should and does appeal to all rightly-minded people, and especially to those who love their children, and more especially orphan children, and that is the "Home on the Hill," the "Victoria Protestant Orphan's Home"—a splendid institution for the education, development, physical, mental and spiritual of many little ones, whose "father and mother" are Victorians; and, who are more fortunate than are they and who are now being asked to subscribe to the fund for providing clothes and "good things" for the children at the above mentioned home this coming Yuletide.

What Christmas means to us; what Christmas means to our children, is doubly an event to be celebrated by us now, and we should dig up a dollar or so, at least, to help in the annual "Good Time for the Kiddies"; they look to us to see that they too have a really happy Christmas.

Let us do it now!

There are subscription lists in several stores in town. It is a good cause to do something for the little children of Victoria.

The Victoria Protestant Orphan's Home will thank you for the gift you make them—however small; and the fact that several small people will benefit by your name being on one of the lists, for a better time for the children of the "Home on the Hill" will make you feel younger and younger and therefore happier and happier, (or vice versa) each day; until, when the great day, Christmas, is here, you will want to go and play with those parentless youngsters yourself. If you have none of your own at home. Do it today! You'll never miss that dollar bill and the "Home" and the children will bless you and thank you.

**Dance at Bolewinkle.**—St. Mark's Girls' W. A. are giving a dance in the hall, Bolewinkle Road, tonight at 8 p.m. Refreshments will be provided.



# A Statement

By the Department Managers  
of Hudson's Bay Store

**W**E, the Department Managers of Hudson's Bay Store, have been given an entirely free hand in the operation of the Annual Department Managers' Sale, commencing tomorrow morning, an event which we are confident will eclipse any previous effort of its kind.

Of the four big sales held every year, this is the best of all, largely owing to the season of the year and the fact that it is an opportune time for patrons to purchase at very substantial savings not only their Winter requirements, but their Christmas gifts as well.

We are wholeheartedly behind the campaign for 5,000 new customers, and this Sale will be yet another opportunity to make new and fast friends for our respective departments and for the store in general by offering the best bargains in seasonable and dependable merchandise.

Naturally there is keen competition existing as to who can offer the most attractive bargains, and as a result prices have been pared down to the very limit. Manufacturers have co-operated with us in the matter of price concessions, and the extent to which they have responded will be made evident in the store's advertisements appearing tomorrow and the following days.

Read our advertisements daily and rest assured that every statement made may be depended upon as being absolutely true. The Company's policy allows no misrepresentation or exaggeration of any kind whatever.

Remember that during this Sale, as at all times, the Hudson's Bay Company's guarantee is behind every purchase you make.

Read the details of this big event in this evening's Times and tomorrow morning's Colonist



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R. K. Gordon

E. Martin

John D. Munster

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H. Workman

A. G. McLaren

A. A. Minnie

P. L. P. Bond



# Social Events

## Celebrate Anniversaries

In honor of the sixteenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Burkmar, Jr., and also of the birthday of Mrs. Burkmar, a number of friends were entertained at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Burkmar, Jr., on Denman Street on Monday evening, when following dinner, games and dancing were enjoyed by the assembly. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Burkmar, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Burkmar, Mr. and Mrs. A. Restell, Mr. and Mrs. A. Blair, Mrs. M. Plimlott (Langford), Mrs. M. Billings, Mrs. G. Townsend, Mrs. Richards, Jr., the Misses Mabel and Grace Townsend, Rose and Mary Burkmar, June Burkmar, Mr. W. Bremner, Mr. Richards, Jr., Masters George Burkmar, Richard Blair, William and Arthur Plimlott.

## To Honor Eva Gauthier

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## Victoria Ladies' Musical Club

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tomorrow afternoon at a reception to be held by the Women's Liberal Club at their headquarters over the Victoria Book and Stationery Store, Government Street. The Ladies' Musical Club is uniting with the Liberal women in honoring the brilliant young singer, and will have charge of the musical programme at the reception, which will be between the hours of 3:30 and 5:30. All members of the Women's Liberal Club and the Ladies' Musical Club are invited to attend the function. Miss Gauthier will appear in song-recital the following evening at the Coliseum Theatre.

"Surprise Party"  
A delightful "surprise party" was recently held at the home of Miss Georgina Johnson, 1326 Dallas Road, when the self-invited guests were the Misses Francis, Rhoda Clark, Zeta Clark, Evelyn Windau, Doris Chambers, Susan Donachie, Laura MacDonald, Doreen Drummond-Hay, Janet Pearce, Eileen Thain, Elia Fagan, "Baby" Campbell, and Messrs. Arthur Zule, John Zule, Norman Stafford, Wilfred Hughes, Bert Smith, George Henwell, Leslie Ross, Percy Rumble, William Hall, David Thomson, Thomas Larman, Daniel Lewis, Eric Day and William Delabough.

Leave for New York  
The Misses Warner, of Victoria, and Mrs. George Risteen, of Vancouver, who were the guests of Chief

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Justice and Mrs. Anglin at Ottawa, recently stayed at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel, Montreal, and on Monday left for New York, whence they will sail for Europe. They were the guests of honor at several smart functions while in Montreal.

Successful 500 Drive  
The Garden City Women's Institute held a very successful five hundred drive recently in the Marigold Hall. There were nine tables of players, and competition was very keen. Mrs. Munroe and Mr. Eston made the highest score, Mrs. Gossnell and Mr. Hunt capturing the consolation prizes. The third of the Winter series will be held next Friday at 8 p.m.

Returning to Victoria  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Wilson and Miss Gloria Wilson, who have been touring Europe for some months past, sailed from England for Canada on Friday, November 14. Dr. George Hall, who has been on a holiday trip to England, was a passenger on the same boat.

Addresses Meeting  
Mrs. D. McRae, of Victoria, gave an interesting address at the regular monthly meeting of the John's Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society, Vancouver. She spoke of the work among the East Indians in this Province.

Appoint Representative  
At a meeting of the District W. C. T. U. recently held in Vancouver, Mrs. Campbell was appointed to represent the District W. C. T. U. with the Women Voters' League delegation at Victoria.

Back from Prairies  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kilty have returned to their home at Royal Oak after an absence of three months. While away, they assisted in the three-day at their former home on the Prairies.

Entertained Judge MacGill  
Mrs. Unsworth, Manor Road, entertained at the tea hour yesterday in honor of Judge Helen MacGill, who left on the midnight boat for Vancouver after a few days' visit in the city.

At Jubilee Hospital  
Bishop P. T. Rowe, who arrived in Victoria on Friday, after a four months' missionary journey in Alaska, was operated upon at the Jubilee Hospital on Monday morning by Dr. Hermann Robinson.

Returns Home  
After spending a week in Victoria as the guest of Mrs. Bennett Thompson, Oak Bay, Mrs. Ferguson Pollock has returned to her home on Salt Spring Island.

Leaves for Spokane  
After visiting Mrs. Dick, Wilmet Place, for the past few weeks, Mrs. Luhn is returning today to her home in Spokane.

Guest for Winter  
Mrs. J. D. Simcken, who has rented her residence on Beach Drive, is the guest of Mrs. E. Heddie, 912 Moss Street, for the winter.

Visits Victoria  
Miss Doreen Ashburnham, of Cowichan Lake, is visiting in Victoria as the guest of Miss Louise Campbell, St. Charles Street.

How to Make Pine Cough Syrup at Home

You know that pine is used in nearly all prescriptions and remedies for coughs. The reason is that pine contains several regular elements that have a remarkable effect in soothing and healing the membranes of the throat and chest. Pine is famous for this purpose.

Pine cough syrups are combinations of pine and syrup. The "syrup" part is usually plain sugar syrup. To make the best pine cough remedy that money can buy, put 2½ ounces of Pine in a 16-oz. bottle, and fill up with home-made sugar syrup. You can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you make 16 ounces—more than you can buy ready-made for \$2.50. It is pure good and very pleasant—children like it eagerly.

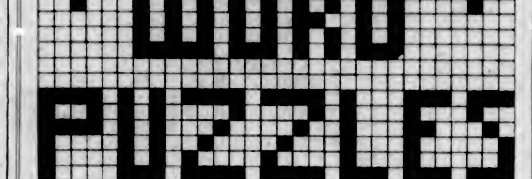
You can feel this take hold of a cough or cold in a way that means business. The cough may be dry, hoarse and tight, or may be persistently loose from the formation of phlegm. The cause is the same—infamed membranes—and this Pine and Syrup combination will stop it—usually in 24 hours or less. Splendid, too, for bronchial asthma, hoarseness, or any ordinary throat ailment. Pine is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is famous the world over for its prompt effect upon coughs.

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## The Cross Word Puzzle Craze Is Sweeping the Country

And tomorrow it will reach Victoria. Readers of The Colonist will be able to share the entertainment which solution of this fascinating new mystery-game which has ridden in a wave of sensational popularity from coast to coast, affords.

A few months ago, the cross word puzzle was hardly known, although it appeared in simple forms occasionally in children's books. But the cross word puzzle was evidently a hidden gold mine, for once developed in competent hands, it won instantaneous interest. It is no longer merely a child's game; its field is universal.

Commencing tomorrow, the cross word puzzle will be a regular feature of The Colonist. Watch for it.

Visits Vancouver  
Mr. John Hutchison, F.R.H.S., landscape gardener, of Victoria, is spending a few days in Vancouver.

Return Home  
After visiting the capital, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bryan have returned to their home in Vancouver.

## CARNIVAL BALL WILL BE BRILLIANT EVENT

Fitting Festivities to Mark Birthday of British Columbia at Empress Hotel This Evening

The Grand Carnival Ball to be held this evening at the Empress Hotel under the auspices of the Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., promises to be a brilliant success. Dancing will begin at 9 o'clock, the formal opening taking place at 9:30 by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Nichol, and will be followed by Mr. Victor Harrison, Nanaimo, chief factor of the Native Sons of British Columbia, who will speak briefly.

The reception committee will include the honorary regents, Mrs. C. de V. Schofield, Mrs. Dennis Harris, Lady McBride and Miss Crease, Mrs. R. B. McKelving, regent; Mrs. R. D. Phillips, Mrs. F. Green, Mrs. Dunlop, Mrs. J. D. MacLellan, Mrs. H. H. Smith, Mrs. G. Chisholm, Mrs. D. C. Hughes and Mrs. E. Hayward; while the personnel of the floor committee will follow: Miss Ince Terry, chief factor Native Daughters; Miss L. Brown; Messrs. C. C. Pemberton, Duncan McFavish, Ainslie Helmecken, H. Green, A. K. Munro and Major Hibben.

The dress parade will take place at 11 o'clock, and prizes awarded the best costumes.

Players of bridge and mah jong are requested to bring their own cards, score pads, pencils and mah jong sets.

Play will begin at 9 o'clock in the private dining room, and tables may be reserved by telephoning Mrs. R. L. Phillips, 4701a, or Mrs. Angus McKeown, 5309L. Prizes will be given.

Army and naval officers are requested to wear uniforms. Refreshments at special reduced rates will be served in the palm and large dining-rooms during the evening, through the courtesy of the management of the hotel in honor of the anniversary of British Columbia's sixty-sixth birthday.

## JUBILEE BAZAAR MEETS WITH SUCCESS

Sale of Work by Ladies of Church of Our Lord Reformed Episcopal Receives Great Support

The Golden Jubilee Bazaar, held yesterday at the Sunday schoolroom of the Church of Our Lord, Reformed Episcopal, proved to be a most successful undertaking in spite of the inclement weather, and all afternoon the hall was filled to capacity with visitors, while the stall holders carried on a brisk trade with their attractive wares.

The prettily decorated booths and the masses of greenery and Autumn flowers which were used in the decorative scheme made the hall a charming setting for the bazaar, and the efforts of the ladies of the committee were well rewarded yesterday by the marked success of the undertaking. A considerable sum was netted from the bazaar, which will be devoted to the church funds.

The credit for the excellence of the articles offered for sale is due to the various conveners, including: Mrs. Brae, Misses Newbury, Turner and Creach, for the fancy work stall; Mrs. Rhandley and Mrs. Bowker, for the bargain counter; Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Martin in charge of the antiques; Mrs. Owen and Mrs. Lupton for the home cooking stall; Mrs. White, Mrs. L. M. R. Dodds and Mrs. Pontifex for the plain work stall.

One of the most popular booths was the candy stall, where the delicious confectionery was made and sold by the Misses Murray, who have on former occasions also assisted the church bazaar in like manner, and always with prosperous results. Afternoon tea was served under the efficient management of Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Monaghan, assisted by a number of young ladies, including Mrs. G. O. G. Laundy, Mrs. Aylard and others. The contest for which the top layer of the handsome birthday cake was the award was won by Mrs. D. C. Hughes and Mrs. J. Newbury, who divided the prize. Mrs. Hitchens was the fortunate winner of the tack contest, and was presented with a cushion.

## Tender Luncheon to Hon. R. B. Orchard At Noon Today

The Chamber of Commerce is extending a general invitation to the public to attend the luncheon to be held at noon today, in honor of the Australian Governor, R. B. Orchard, a former member of the Australian Government at the auditorium of the Chamber at noon today. It is hoped by the directors that the room will be filled, as the guest is to speak on the important subject of "Inter-empire Trade and Its Effect Upon the Future Building Up of the Commonwealth of British Nations." As chairman of the special committee appointed by the Australian Government to investigate reciprocal trade relations within the Empire, and as representative of his country at the British Empire Exhibition, Mr. Orchard is well qualified to speak on the subject. Everyone is invited to attend the luncheon and hear this address.

## MISS EILEEN WHITE WEDS J. W. M'DANIEL

St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Sidney, Scene of Pretty Ceremony—Will Reside in Seattle

St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Sidney, was the scene of a quiet but pretty wedding on Saturday, when Miss Eileen White, younger daughter of Mr. James J. White, sub-collector of customs, and Miss Eileen White, who was one of the promoters of the Sidney and Anacortes ferry route.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Thomas M. Hughes. The bride, a graduate of St. Joseph's Hospital, was given in marriage by her father, and was attractively gowned in coral brown georgette, with a hat of cloth of gold, while a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses and stephanotis completed the bridal toilet.

The bride's only attendant, Miss Olive Kilpatrick, also a graduate of the same nursing class, and fellow classmate of St. Margaret's School, looked charming in a frock of Nile green, with ostrich trimming, and black picture hat, carrying pink roses and carnations.

The groom was supported by his nephew, Mr. Forrest T. Crosby, of Seattle. While the register was being signed Mrs. Gerald Berry, of Nanaimo, sang "At Dawning," accompanied by Mrs. Earl L. McKelving, sister of the bride, who also played the wedding marches.

The church had been tastefully decorated by friends of the bride. Following the ceremony, a reception was held at "Winola," the home of the bride's parents, where the reception-rooms were decorated with masses of pink and mauve chrysanthemums. The tea table was daintily arranged with a core of pink carnations, and presided over by Mrs. Gordon Dixon and Mrs. A. Llewellyn Wilson, aunts of the bride. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Roy Bretherton, Mrs. Harold Johnston and Mrs. Earl McKelving.

The groom's gift to the bride was a platinum ring, to the bride a coral necklace, to the bride a gold fountain pen, and to the best man gold cuff links.

The bride's gift to the groom was a handsome pocket-book. Mr. and Mrs. M'Daniel left for Victoria by motor, where they took the afternoon boat for Seattle, en route to San Diego, Cal., where the honeymoon will be spent. On their return they will reside in Seattle.

## DR. O. M. JONES CHAPTER

A meeting of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I. O. D. E., was held last night at the residence of the regent, Mrs. William Ivel, Wellington Avenue. Announcement was made by Mrs. Wilby that the proceeds from the rummage sale held on November 3 amounted to \$44.78.

Miss Patterson, principal of the Bank Street School, thanked the chapter for its presentation on Armistice Day of a record of the Prince of Wales address on "Sportmanship." The sum of \$10 was voted to the War Memorial fund and \$5 to the Brownies for a Christmas party. The following ladies were welcomed into the chapter: Miss Florence Wilkerson, Mrs. Martin, Miss Oliver, Miss Riddell and Mrs. Wilkinson. In one year 359 human beings were killed by jackals in Bengal.

## SEES DANGER IN ORIENTAL ISSUE

Hon. R. B. Orchard, New South Wales Trade Investigator, Thinks Canada Should Follow Australia's Example

## FORESEES REVIVAL OF SINGAPORE ISSUE

Declares MacDonald Ministry Lacked Vision by Ignoring Interests of the Overseas Dominions

CONFIDENCE that the Baldwin Government would survive the Singapore base proposal was expressed last night by Hon. R. B. Orchard, member for New South Wales on the commission which was in charge of the Commonwealth exhibition at the British Empire Exhibition, when interviewed at the Empress Hotel last night.

On his arrival in the city yesterday with his family, Mr. Orchard was met at the boat by Mr. J. Carl Penney, president of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, and by Messrs. Robert Mayhew and T. J. Goodlake, representing the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

"Rejection of the Singapore base scheme was the biggest disappointment Australia has ever received," Mr. Orchard declared. "The base is absolutely essential for the protection of Australia."

"Situating as we are, right on the frontier of the Empire, with 12,000 miles of seaboard and with a population of less than 6,000,000 people, we realize that having had the tenacity to say that Australia shall be a 'white' Australia, we cannot maintain that policy or protect our shores without the aid of the British navy."

Lacked Vision  
"It seems to me that the recent Government in Great Britain was singularly lacking in vision with regard to their great Dominions. The cancelling of the Singapore base project and the abolition of the McKenna tariffs substantiate this statement."

"Our Prime Minister, the Rt. Hon. S. M. Bruce, has lost no time in impressing upon the new Government the absolute necessity of continuing the construction of the Singapore base, and judging from the attitude of several of the cabinet, notably that of Mr. Winston Churchill, operations will be resumed in the near future."

"I would suggest to my Canadian friends in the Dominion Parliament that they be equally persistent in their representations for the reintroduction of the McKenna tariffs."

"You know," Mr. Orchard remarked with a smile, "the member of the family that gets things is the one who keeps asking for them. The others generally get left at the post."

Mr. Orchard expressed amazement at the extent of Oriental immigration to this country.

Racial Problem  
"It may be an impertinence for a guest in your country to say so," he observed, "but I cannot help being impressed each time I pass through Canada by the large number of Orientals you have. It seems to me that you are laying the foundation for a racial problem analogous to that which confronts the United States as a result of the influx of negro slaves years ago."

"Only 1 per cent of Australia's population is foreign. The aborigines constitute 1½ per cent, and the Anglo-Saxons the remaining 87½ per cent. We propose to maintain that white dominion."

"A Pan-Pacific scientific conference was held in Sydney at the beginning of the year, and in calm, dispassionate manner the delegates discussed the maximum population that Australia could absorb, still maintaining her present high standard of living. Sixty millions of people was the estimate."

"Many people thought that we could absorb twice as many, and some an even higher number. At the lowest estimate we are using less than 10 per cent of our present resources for a population of 5,778,000. But from 1912 to 1921 inclusive Australia increased her population 31½ per cent."

"Canada and Australia are the biggest competitors in the field for the British settler. As an Imperialist who is desirous of seeing these two great Dominions prosper and progress, I might say to my Canadian friends, 'Make a special effort to secure the children from the Old Country.'"

Mr. Orchard is a member of the trade committee appointed by the Australian Government to investigate reciprocal trade relations within the Empire. During the war he was Minister of Recruiting in the Hughes war cabinet.

He will address a joint luncheon meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and the Victoria and Island branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium at noon today.

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## CITY WILL FIND RELIEF FOR IDLE

Cases of Immediate Distress Will Get Prompt Treatment—Finance Committee Authorized to Act

### JOBLESS REGISTER AT CITY HALL TODAY

Completion of the Recreation Grounds, Surface Drain Work, Rock Excavation, Recommended

THE City Council yesterday afternoon empowered the Mayor and the chairman of the finance committee to take such steps and to expend such money as may be necessary to relieve immediate distress, resulting from unemployment in the city.

Civil registration of unemployed will be commenced at the City Hall at 9 o'clock this morning, the council decided.

Ald. Marchant, chairman of the unemployed committee which met yesterday morning, advanced a programme of public works which, he said, the council might institute immediately providing sufficient funds existed. The committee's suggestions were adopted by the council.

The recommendations were as follows:

1. The completion of the Spring Ridge recreation grounds.
2. A reasonable amount of clearing on the Robert Porter Park.
3. Surface drain work as recommended by city engineer.
4. The manufacture of concrete pipe for the work of next year.
5. The replacing of some dilapidated wooden sidewalks with either concrete or asphalt and concrete sidewalks. Carroll Street to be one of the earliest undertaken.
6. The employment of a few men on rock excavation.
7. Clearing the underbrush from that portion of Beacon Hill Park fronting on Coleridge street and extending towards Dallas Road.
8. Filling in against the rails on Johnson Street Bridge.
9. The services of a few men to be utilized, under piece work arrangements, on the collection of wood from some of our beaches with a view to use or sale of same in public service.
10. It is further recommended that the normal or ordinary rate of wages be paid to all men employed who are able to give a full day's work for the wages paid. The men to be under the absolute control of the city engineer; this officer to hire them and discharge them if their services are unsatisfactory. Any men employed on the works mentioned to have two weeks' work given and then be replaced by other men. Married men to have preference and next in order, single men with dependents.
11. Further recommended that the various service clubs of the city, such as the Rotary, Kiwanis, Gyro, Employers and other similar organizations be urged to use their best endeavors to provide means of employment and that all citizens requiring help of any kind, male or female, endeavor at this time to utilize the services of the unemployed.

"Your committee also began to state," the report continued, "that a communication has been sent to the Pacific Coast Construction Company, urging this company to utilize the services of additional men if at all possible to do so. A communication has also been sent to the owners of various buildings in the city requesting that any repairs required might be proceeded with at once. Dr. Ruth-land, the Minister of Public Works, has also been communicated with, requesting him to commence and carry on any public works that may be required in and around the city of Victoria."

**Ignorant of Funds**  
After the adoption of the report it was pointed out that the Council had no idea of the money at its disposal for relief purposes. The Unemployment Committee's report presumed that the Finance Committee would be able to submit an estimate of the money that could be used. Alderman Sargent, chairman of the Finance Committee, objected to this.

"The report has only been in hand for ten minutes," he declared. "This is a continuation of last night's meeting, when the Finance Committee was instructed to prepare an estimate for Monday's meeting. It is out of order to ask for that estimate now."

Alderman Woodward objected to having to wait until Monday for a report from the Finance Committee, because, he said, the distress needed immediate alleviation. He suggested that a sum of \$2,000 be given the Mayor and the chairman of the Finance Committee to use in the interval before Monday's meeting.

Alderman Sargent suggested the sum be made \$1,000. The question of what the maximum amount could afford to spend would have to remain until Monday night, he maintained. It would take time to go over the city's books and discover what appropriations had been over and under-spent and to strike the balance. That balance would constitute the funds available for the relief of unemployment, he intimated. The officials should be empowered to spend such moneys as may be necessary until Monday night, he maintained.

**Temporary Plan**  
It was finally decided that pending the report of the Finance Committee at the next meeting of the Council, the Mayor and the chairman of the Finance Committee should carry on the work of providing relief, expending such sums as would be found necessary.

Alderman Andrews suggested that the cleaning up of the city's vacant lots be incorporated into the programme of work was adopted by the council, as was also Alderman Woodward's suggestion that bowling greens be established at various points in the city.

Alderman Ker thought that the rate of wages should be definitely understood. He thought that the city should not pay more than \$3.50 a day, on the principle that whatever money was found to be available could better be spent by paying a small wage to a large number of men. He entered into a discussion with Alderman Marchant of the possible efficiency of the city officials in assuring that a full day's work would be given for a full day's pay.

Alderman Sargent interrupted the debate by declaring that he wished the members of the Council would have a little more humanity. He had attended an important meeting concerning the northeast sewer that night, a problem they had been working on for ten years. What the aldermen were discussing could better be considered on Monday. He would like to see the meeting brought to a close, he intimated.

Cherokee Indians give their children a concoction made from burrs to strengthen their memory.

## BOOZE-RUNNING CAUSING TROUBLE

RELATIONS BETWEEN CANADA AND U.S. BEING STRAINED  
Operations Undermining Democracy and Causing Countries Harm, Dr. Crowther Asserts

That booze running over the border was causing very strained relations between Canada and the United States was the claim made last night by Dr. J. E. Crowther, of the University Methodist Church, Seattle, in his address on "The Foundations of Democracy," at the Metropolitan Church before a large audience.

Dr. Crowther stated that bootleggers in the United States were doing a thriving business which was undermining the cause of democracy both in Canada and the United States, with liquor which was being smuggled chiefly over the Canadian border. He said that the bootlegging operations were undermining the democratic principle of the United States, and that the bootleggers were causing harm to the United States.

**Boots of Democracy**  
"The foundations of democracy are human," said the doctor. "They are not constitutions, nor statutes, nor states, nor any other impersonal factors. The foundations of democracy are living. The values of a democracy are determined by qualities of its citizens. The citizen is the responsible agent in the power and progress of the state."

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**Physical Foundation**  
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the Dominion, due to high taxation and taxation of everything that it could lay hands on. Even this year a new tax on auto drivers was being imposed, he declared.

**Belittles Credit Claims**  
Dr. MacLean's claims for the high credit of the Province were belittled by Mr. Jones, who cited figures of other provinces selling bonds at the same time as British Columbia for the same or lower prices during the past year. As to where the money had gone, he said the Government claimed great credit for its road building.

"Do they claim credit for the part of a road built in my riding just prior to the election, where the twenty workmen were promised a job until Christmas if they voted Liberal, yet were all dismissed within a few hours after they cast their ballots and not a tap had been done on the road since?" he asked.

The finance minister's debt figures were disputed. Mr. Jones gave the gross debt as \$96,000,000, including \$20,000,000 bond guarantee and the net debt as \$76,000,000, an increase of more than 300 per cent since the Government took office.

The best evidence of this, he said, was that in 1918 the people were required to vote only \$1,400,000 for interest and sinking fund, whereas in the current budget they were asked for \$1,400,000. He was proud to know that the sinking fund was in good shape, but declared that there was no sinking fund for \$23,000,000 of the debt, of which \$11,000,000 matured next year and \$12,000,000 the year after. These would have to be refunded and the public called upon for \$3,000,000 additional votes for sinking fund to take care of them.

Speaking of the proposed loan bill, Mr. Jones asked if the \$300,000 required for the Buma scheme was for the purpose of setting up the contractors who were threatening a lawsuit.

**Scores Major Martyn**  
In denying the Government's right to take \$15,000,000 of so-called revenue producing debt as deduction from gross debt, Mr. Jones said that the \$120,000,000 of industrial loans from the Government, which included \$25,000,000 for the Buma scheme, was a major Martyn.

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denome. At the instigation of the opposition the tax was reduced 50 per cent last year, he said, after a fight waged against it for two years. Businessmen from all parts of British Columbia were petitioning the Government for relief and, he declared, the Premier and other Government speakers in the election campaign had practically pledged themselves to eliminate the impost.

Mr. Jones read a number of telegrams which had been received from business associations in various sections of the Province denouncing the tax and urging that relief measures be adopted. One of the messages came from Kamloops, another from New Westminster, and another from Nelson, the Premier's own riding. The Government, in failing to wipe out the Personal Property Tax had committed a breach of faith with the business interests of British Columbia, he charged.

"Taxation must be reduced," the member for South Okanagan concluded. "Capital must be encouraged to come into the Province, the Government must see to it that the public debt be not increased."

### Eagles Outclassed By the Arcades In Bowling Match

The Eagles were outclassed by the Arcades in their City League bowling fixture last night and were at the short end of the three games. They had to play without the aid of W. Neil, which may have had some effect on their display. The Arcades were fortunate in finding their opponents in such bad shape as their effort was not up to their usual standard, their high score being rolled by Harness with a total of 493 pins.

In the Commercial League, Five Roses Flour and the Wilcox Hot Co. "A" team rolled three even games, the Millers taking two. In the first game Wilcox, sr., again put up a fine score of 201, this being his second of over two hundred in league rolling this season. Manon of the same team, however, was high man for the series with 486. For the Five Roses Henry was top scorer with a total of 470. The scores follow:

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Eagles					
Potts .....	136	127	175—	438	
D. Neill .....	129	110	135—	374	
Brown .....	113	129	129—	370	
Forster .....	127	125	116—	378	
Low score ....	134	124	105—	363	

	648	618	660	1933
Arcades				
Genge .....	154	124	115—	393
Riddell .....	134	125	105—	364
Brooks .....	127	117	105—	350
Falk .....	176	154	146—	476
Harness .....	183	179	161—	493

Brooks	145	167	177	489
Falk	176	154	146	476
Harness	163	179	161	493
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Commercial League				
Willcox Hat Co.				
Manson	.....	149	174	163— 486
Willcox, Jr.	....	126	110	103— 338
Kruse	.....	134	97	102— 333

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**Representations Made By Ottawa as to Case Of Lacyer Anderson**  
OTTAWA, Nov. 18.—Representations have been made to Washington regarding the case of F. B. Anderson, the Vancouver lawyer who was arrested in San Francisco on a charge of liquor smuggling. Premier King stated here tonight that the conclusion of a meeting of the Cabinet Council. The British Ambassador at Washington will make inquiry into the case, said the Premier in a brief statement.

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### MEMBER SCOFFS AT NEW BUDGET

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make the extraction of the taxes any less painful to the victims, he declared.

Dealing with the balance sheet, Mr. Jones disputed the value of \$12,000,000 worth of assets counted as face value by the Minister of Finance. The Southern Okanagan development scheme, the industrial loans, land settlement loans, etc., totalling this sum, were very doubtful assets, he claimed.

The minister's claim to a balanced budget was not worth a snap of the fingers, he declared. Such things had been promised before, he said, bore the public accounts just tabled showed how lightly such calculations were made in advance and how impossible they were of fulfilment. The minister had pointed with pride to the fact that revenue last year exceeded the estimate by \$300,000, but he had neglected to mention that expenditures had surpassed the estimates by \$1,300,000.

**Cut Mothers' Pensions**  
"In face of that the estimated reduction of a million dollars worth that!" he exclaimed. He stated that about half the reduction in expenditures was accounted for by cutting out an item of \$400,000 for mothers' pensions, but this cut was purely fictitious, as the money was to be paid out of liquor profits, which would be depleted as a source of revenue to that amount.

"The widows and mothers are to get their pensions from liquor money," exclaimed the member. "I think that is very fitting," commented Premier Oliver.

When that remark is quoted the minister will forget that he ever said it," replied Mr. Jones. The tremendous debt piled up by the Government required no less than 10 per cent of total revenue to meet interest and sinking fund, said Mr. Jones, but the amount appropriated to the industry of agriculture was only two per cent. In eight years the Government had gathered in \$125,300,000 revenue and had borrowed \$59,500,000, a total expenditure of \$184,800,000. It was now exacting the highest revenue from the people of almost any province in

the Dominion, due to high taxation and taxation of everything that it could lay hands on. Even this year a new tax on auto drivers was being imposed, he declared.

**Belittles Credit Claims**  
Dr. MacLean's claims for the high credit of the Province were belittled by Mr. Jones, who cited figures of other provinces selling bonds at the same time as British Columbia for the same or lower prices during the past year. As to where the money had gone, he said the Government claimed great credit for its road building.

"Do they claim credit for the part of a road built in my riding just prior to the election, where the twenty workmen were promised a job until Christmas if they voted Liberal, yet were all dismissed within a few hours after they cast their ballots and not a tap had been done on the road since?" he asked.

The finance minister's debt figures were disputed. Mr. Jones gave the gross debt as \$96,000,000, including \$20,000,000 bond guarantee and the net debt as \$76,000,000, an increase of more than 300 per cent since the Government took office.

The best evidence of this, he said, was that in 1918 the people were required to vote only \$1,400,000 for interest and sinking fund, whereas in the current budget they were asked for \$1,400,000. He was proud to know that the sinking fund was in good shape, but declared that there was no sinking fund for \$23,000,000 of the debt, of which \$11,000,000 matured next year and \$12,000,000 the year after. These would have to be refunded and the public called upon for \$3,000,000 additional votes for sinking fund to take care of them.



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**SONG INTERPRETER COMING TO VICTORIA TO GIVE RECITAL**

One of the most unusual song recitals to be looked forward to by musical audiences in this city will be given by Miss Eva Gauthier on Friday, November 21, at the Pantages Theatre.

"To the living composers of song, after Debussy, Eva Gauthier gives voice," writes H. T. Parker, in his book "Bright Notes." "As a signal interpreter of the modern and ultra-modern she is to sing what Mary Garden is to Opera. She is mistress of tonal and tonal illusion."

"An audience which assembles to hear Miss Gauthier is a pleasure in itself. It usually wears bright clothes for it is a cheerful company for pleasure. It includes many young listeners come to hear and applaud youth. The singer herself usually meets more than halfway the mood of the audience. Her gown shines with color, while a touch of fantasy has shaped it. She diffuses a hint of the exotic, as though face and hair had caught lasting imprint of her Japanese days. She also comes eagerly, alertly to her task and in quick to reciprocate the pleasure of her audience. Here is the thoroughbred instinct to be always doing her best."

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**At the Playhouses**

**COLUMBIA** The story of "The Hero of Ladysmith," showing for the last time today at the Columbia Theatre, is based on the famous play, "The Faithful Heart," which ran for years in London with that popular English matinee idol, Owen Nares, in the leading role of Corporal, and later Colonel Waverley, and show in the motion picture production, G. B. Samuelson has gone out and secured the same famous star of the legitimate stage to take the part of Waverley in the picture, and the part of Blackie Gattiscombe is taken by the talented English screen actress, Lillian Hall-Davie, who will be remembered for her stellar work in "A Royal Divorce," "The Game of Life" and other big attractions.

**DOMINION** Bigger than the big theatre, the Dominion Theatre, the agency of the great show, earth could excel the truth regarding the production of "The Covered Wagon" for Paramount, now showing at the Dominion Theatre. Fifty carloads of material were shipped to the location of Baker, Nevada. In addition, one thousand Indians and more than two thousand white persons are seen in the picture. Also there are upward of 1,000 horses, several hundred mules and 500 covered wagons. The centre of activities was at the Baker Ranch. Prior to arriving there, director James Cruze spent several days at Antelope Island in the Great Salt Lake, making a buffalo hunt with 500 head of bison on that island. J. Warren Kerrigan and Lois Wilson head a splendid cast.

**PLAYHOUSE** Among others of a distinguished cast appearing in "A Tailor Made Man," which Charles Ray is starring in his first United Artists release, which is now showing at the Playhouse Theatre, is Frederick Thompson, who takes the role of Mr. Stanlaw. Mr. Thompson has enjoyed a long and well-recognized career as an actor, stage manager and producer on the stage and as an actor and director in motion pictures. One of his best remembered performances on the stage was in "The Darling of the Gods" and he stage managed the same play. Another performance of his which is well known is "The Rev. Baggot in 'Trilby,' the original performance in this country. He was also stage manager of this production.

**COLISEUM** Kitty Bradbury, character actress of aristocratic type, known especially for her work in Chaplin's "The Pilgrim" and in "The Midnight Alarm," with Percy Marston, plays the important role of Mrs. Vertrees in Hobart Henley's Universal production of "The Turmoil," now playing at the Coliseum Theatre. In Hobart Henley's novel there is a mental clash between the newly rich and rich-bred endeavored by their different attitudes towards life. Eleanor Boardman was cast as Miss Vertrees and Winter Hall was engaged for the role of Mr. Vertrees.

**CAPITOL** "The best horse race ever filmed," was the unanimous opinion of the first night audience who turned out to see Tom Mix and his wonder horse Tony in their latest starring vehicle, "Oh, You Tony!" at the Capitol last night. And this critic agrees with the crowd. The picture is realistic to an unbelievable point it contained twenty thrills for every furlong. The race is the thrilling climax to the best comedy of the season. Several well-known comedians had better look to their laurels if Tom's Westerners continue to give him a chance to act "saltpatric."

**MISCHA ELMAN REMAINS FAVORITE WITH MUSIC LOVERS**

Mischa Elman, the world famous Russian violinist, who is giving a violin recital at the Royal Victoria Theatre, Tuesday, December 2, will make his first appearance here in two seasons, for it was exactly two years ago when at the Capitol Mischa Elman played to a sold-out house. Beginning as a child prodigy, he is one of the very few who still remain in public favor. In recent years critics have declared his playing to be better than ever before, and his progress is not only contains new and unusual works, but includes one of the glorious sonatas of Nardini and the great Concerto in A Minor No.

**AMUSEMENTS**

**The Screen**  
Capitol—"Oh, You Tony," featuring Tom Mix.  
Coliseum—George Hackathorne in "The Turmoil."  
Columbia—"The Hero of Ladysmith," starring Owen Nares.  
Dominion—J. Warren Kerrigan, "The Covered Wagon."  
**The Stage**  
Playhouse—Vaudeville.

5 by the virtuous violinist Viestemps. Mail orders can be now sent to the Royal Victoria, where seats will be allotted in order of date of purchase.

**MAIL ORDERS FOR "THE TEN COMMANDMENTS" SWAMP COLISEUM**

Mail orders already received for seats for the engagement of "The Ten Commandments" at the Coliseum Theatre next week indicate that the picture will draw capacity audiences at all performances. Such has been the case wherever the film has been shown, and everywhere the theme of the narrative and its marvellous setting forth have aroused widespread comment and discussion. The appeal of the picture to all classes of thinking people is proof of sound artistry and its historical and dramatic integrity. Two showings, with full orchestral accompaniment, will be given daily during the engagement here.

**ELOCUTION PUPILS HEARD IN RECITAL**

Miss Belle Eilers and Students Give Dramatic Performance

Miss Belle Eilers and some of her pupils gave a delightful entertainment in the New Memorial Hall on Friday evening, under the auspices of Christ Church Cathedral Senior Boys' class. The programme was of a very high standard throughout, the performers showing the effect of instruction in the technique of public speaking and reciting as well as in stage deportment while there was all ways present a consciousness of the close analysis of the piece in the preparation. Miss Eilers herself has made a definite advance in her art. Just heard, her voice having become bigger and more resonant without losing any of its finer inflections. She appeared only in the scene from "Twelfth Night," (Scene 5, Act 1), a very charmingly presented number in which Miss Edith Mustard played the role of Lady Olivia and Miss Eilers as Viola. There was a very romantic atmosphere about this, both artists acting very convincingly.

The outstanding numbers by the pupils included two serious dramatic recitations, "The Hell Gate of Solomons," by Miss Gladys Davies, whose fine reading of the lines appealed tremendously to the patriotic sentiments of her audience; and Miss Violet McInnes' reciting of "The Pilot of the Plains" (verses by Pauline Johnson). This carried the listeners completely. The two humorous recitations in the second part of the programme were very popular. Mrs. Jennie Dearborn, before her audience in a state of collapse with "Auntie Doleful's Visit," for which she was recalled to give as an encore an almost equally funny recitation, entitled "Scotch Broom," and Miss Edith Mustard's well-sustained Dutch impersonation, "Kathrina's Visit to New York," was another admirable example of comedy work. The comedy playlet, "Stormed In With a Duchess," closed the programme in a very happy atmosphere, the four ladies who comprised the parts playing so well that they might have been the inspiration of the characters. Miss Gladys Davies was exceedingly funny as the mournful and religious Mrs. Ann Hodge, Miss Violet McInnes very ladylike and "distinguished" as the Duchess of Solomons, and Miss Madge McCallum emphatic and pushing as Mrs. Cholmondeley-Jones, the social climber.

Others taking part in the programme were Miss Nellie Warburton, Miss Katherine Albany, and the two assisting musicians: Miss Grace Watson, who sang a vocal solo; and Mr. Leon Conyers, who gave very fine renderings of four popular ballads, "Song of the Road," "Who Knows," "I Hear You Calling Me," and "In a Monastery Garden." Mrs. Groves acted as accompanist.

**ENDORSES PROPOSED ACTION OF HOUSE**

Tuberculous Veterans Support Resolutions Relative to Ex-Service Men's Affairs

A general meeting of the Tuberculous Veterans' Association was held in their quarters on Monday night, with President Harrison in the chair. A large number of members were present and several matters of importance were dealt with, including some important correspondence from the Dominion secretary at Ottawa.

The secretary was instructed to write the Tranquille Sanatorium branch in order to ascertain their views regarding the proposed formation of a T. V. A. branch in the city of Vancouver. The fact that the soldier members of Provincial Parliament now in session, are preparing recommendations in support of suitable pension legislation met with the approval of the meeting, and in that connection the following resolution was passed.

Resolved, that this Victoria branch Tuberculous Veterans' Association heartily endorse the action of the British Columbia Legislature in urging the Dominion Parliament to enact ex-service legislation in accordance with the recommendations of the Resolute Royal Commission.

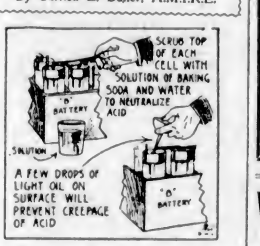
Further, that we do heartily endorse any action that the British Columbia Legislature might recommend regarding the powers of the Senate to enact legislation, and the reorganization of ex-service departmental officials.

A letter was received from the Dominion secretary to the effect that sub-charters are now available to all branches in good standing, and the meeting decided to make immediate application for same.

Members are advised that meetings of the T. V. A. will be held on the first Monday of each month instead of semi-monthly as before, and will commence at 8 p.m. sharp.

**Radio Notes**

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**CFCT (Victoria City Temple)**—Concert programme by the courtesy of the Dominion Academy of Music, broadcast by Fletcher Bros. Music and Radio. Home—Piano solo, Prelude, "Raindrop" (Chopin). Mrs. Gladys Hodges, vocal solo, "The Swallow" (Clocow). Margaret Griffin, violin solo (a) "Romance Sans Paroles" (Wienlawski), (b) "Kashmiri Song" (Flinden). Mr. Lambert Colman, vocal solo, (a) "Looking Backward" (Perry), (b) "Untill" (Sanderson). Ellen Bridge, piano solo, (a) Prelude, C Minor (Bachmanoff), (b) "Forest Sounds" (Debussy). Flora Allan, vocal solo, (a) "Roses" (Adams), (b) "At Dawning" (Cadmian). Ivy Cobbett, vocal solo, (a) "Machuh" (Macmurrugh), (b) "A Little Heaven for You" (Mr. Kenneth Cochran; piano solo, "La Lionjera" (Chaminade). Miss Audrey Wood, vocal solo, "If I Built a World for You" (Lehmann). Miss Ruth Cox, vocal solo, (a) "Roma" (Tosti), (b) "Love's on the High Road" (Rogers). Miss Norah Jones, violin solo, (a) "Le Deluge" (Saint-Saens), (b) "The Old Refrain" (Viennese Melody) (Kreislair). Mr. Lambert Colman; vocal solo, "In an Old-Fashioned Town" (Squire). Miss Jill Lloyd-Young, aria, "Bottly Awakes My Heart" (Samson and Delilah). Miss Ellen Bridge; piano solo, Nocturne, Op. 15, No. 2 (Chopin). Miss Ruth Cox; vocal solo, (a) "Down Home" (Ehrane), (b) "Dorian Dhu" (Leon). Miss Norah Jones, L.A.R. Accompanist, Madame Kate Webb.

**KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (Pacific, 489)**—5:30 to 6 p.m. Examiner news bulletins; 6:45 to 7:30 p.m. Nick Harris Detective Stories and orchestra; 7:30 to 8 p.m. vocal recital; 9 to 10 p.m. programme from Examiner Studio; 10 to 11 p.m. special dramatic programme; 11 to 12 p.m. Ambassador Hotel Coconut Grove Orchestra.

**KFSO, San Francisco, Cal. (Pacific, 278)**—10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Sunshine Hour programme personally conducted by Aimee Temple McPherson, with prayer for the sick and afflicted of Radioland; 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Auditorium service, Sermon on divine healing by the pastor. Testimonials of those who have been healed in answer to believing prayer. Music by the Ladies Revival Orchestra. Esther Fricks.

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"I am in favor of a clean city," Mr. Hall declared, "and I would, if elected, do my utmost to achieve that objective."

Mr. Hall is not of the opinion that the police department stands in need of any re-organization.

"The department should be administered as economically as possible without degrading its personnel," he said. "Making the force smaller would only jeopardize the efficiency it has shown in the past few years."

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**KGO, Oakland, Cal. (Pacific, 312)**—Silent night.

**KGW, Portland, Ore. (Pacific, 492)**—12:30 p.m. concert by Bill Taylor's Orchestra of Cottillon Hall; 5 p.m., children's programme; fairy story by Aunt Nell; 7:15 p.m., market, weather, news bulletin and police reports; 8 p.m., concert by Astor-Possi School Trio; 10 p.m., dance music by George Olsen's Metropolitan Orchestra (also of the Hotel Portland two hours).

**KJL, Los Angeles, Cal. (Pacific, 395)**—12:30 to 1:30 p.m., programme presented by Abe Partus and his Rose Room Orchestra playing through the courtesy of the Rose Room, William Leder, manager.

**Fred C. McNabb, of Aggeler & Musser Seed Company; 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., matinee musicale; 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., programme presenting Prof. Walter Sylvester, Harzok telling stories of American history. Dick Winslow, screen juvenile and reporter. Baby Muriel MacCormack, screen juvenile. Billy Jane Webb, twelve-year-old singer and yodeler. Bedtime story by Uncle John; 8 to 10 p.m., Dr. Mara Baumgardt, lecturer. Programme presented through the courtesy of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company, arranged by E. R. Nelson; 10 to 11 p.m., Art Hickman's Dance Orchestra from the Biltmore Hotel.**

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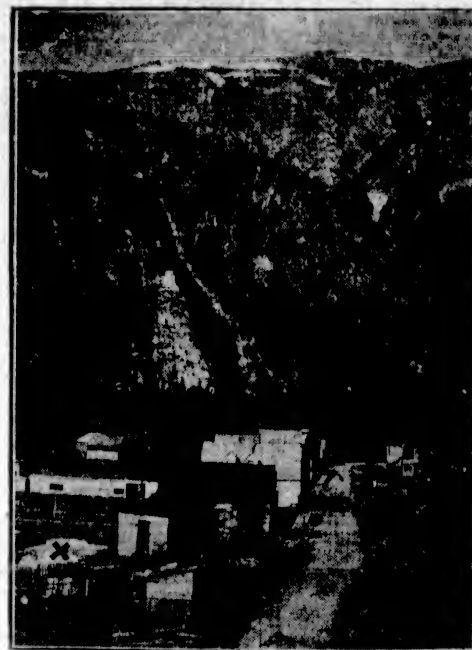
# The Colonist's Pictorial Page



Eamonn de Valera, the Irish Republican agitator, and self-styled "president of the Irish republic," is now a prisoner in Belfast. He was first arrested in Belfast and then released. He returned, attempted to speak and was again arrested.



Mrs. Cecilia Coolidge of Medford, Mass., a relative of the president, waited 91 years to cast her first vote for cousin Cal. She is shown at her polling place.



At Ayder, Alaska, the United States and Canada meet in the north. The cross marks the boundary post. Towards the mountain is the U.S., and on the side near camera is Canada.



Louise Glaum, who, a few years ago, was one of the vampiest of the film vamps, has returned to the screen world, following a two-year battle to regain her health.



Miss Mary T. Norton, of Jersey City, elected to congress on the Democratic ticket, is the first woman in the east to be sent to the U.S. congress.



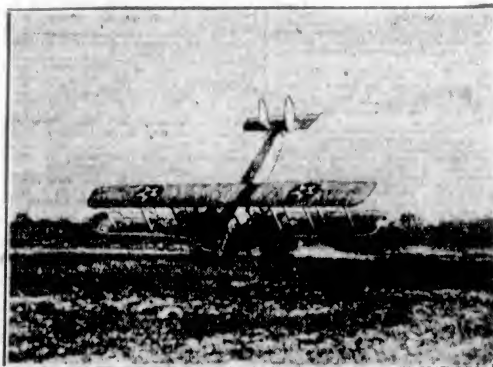
Mrs. S. M. Hyland of New York appears in this picture wearing the very latest in embroidered hats from Paris. Green is the predominating color and the figures are many-colored.



"Radio Mad" is the name given to this burlesque float, which was one of the features in the naval pageant at Plymouth, England, recently in aid of the Trafalgar Orphan Fund.



Here is shown the celebration of the Mohammedan Christmas, the birth of the Prophet, at Larache, Morocco. During the festival a ceremonious dance takes place which lasts for twelve hours.



One marine was hurt and six others escaped injuries when their aeroplane landed on its nose at the Philadelphia navy yard recently. The men were on their way to a football field at Franklin Field.



The president of the U. S. and Mrs. Coolidge are shown on the steps of the White House coming out to greet the crowds that gathered on the grounds to congratulate the president on his victory.



Mrs. Miriam A. "Ma" Ferguson, newly-elected state governor of Texas, says that she will seek advice from her husband while in office and that she will do no cooking for the family.



Miss Nancy Clancy is the youngest radio announcer in the United States, being only sixteen years of age. She tells the public from Richmond Hill that Station WAHG is on the air.



King Victor Emanuel of Italy is now a grandfather. The photograph shows Princess Yolanda, Countess Calvi, with her baby, the Countess Maria Ludovica Calvi.



This photograph shows two mooses scampering away into the woods of Northern Ontario on the appearance of humans. The cameraman was able to get this picture at a mile's distance by means of a telescopic lens.















## MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

MERCERIZED SILK  
INCREASES OUTPUT

CAUSES CONCERN AMONG JAPANESE SILK MERCHANTS

Mr. H. S. Barnes, of U.S. Textile Corporation, Speaks of Japan's Silk Industry and Competition

"There is an increasing concern among the Japanese silk merchants over the rapid development of mercerized silk and the great potentiality of Chinese silk," stated Mr. H. S. Barnes, a silk expert, connected with the United States Textile Corporation, who passed through Victoria yesterday aboard the President Grant, en route to New York from Shanghai where he has been on a business trip.

While in Japan, Mr. Barnes noticed the concern being taken by Japanese silk merchants over this new competition and says "such anxiety is due largely to the ignorance of the history of the failures experienced by foreign firms that undertook silk reeling business in China without a careful investigation of the causes which afterward led to their inevitable failure, and the nature of the mercerized silk in relation to the possible field of its application in future and at present."

Mr. Barnes went on to say that Japan supplies the United States with nearly 90 per cent of her raw silk, while five per cent is only obtained from China, the other five per cent from other countries. "It might be said that Japan practically monopolizes the American market in this respect."

EMPRESS OF ASIA  
DELAYED BY MAIL

OLD COUNTRY POST IS LATE IN ARRIVING

Departs From Victoria For East Friday Morning—Nearly 500 Passengers on Board

Due to storms on the Atlantic the Old Country mail for China has been delayed, thus delaying the departure of the Canadian Pacific Empress of Asia, it was announced here yesterday.

The Empress of Scotland with a big parcel of Old Country mail, was delayed on the Atlantic by storms, so that the arrival of the C.P.R. number three train at Vancouver has also been delayed.

Instead of sailing from Victoria on Thursday afternoon the Empress of Asia will make her departure from this port on Friday morning, the number three train not being due at Vancouver until 8:20 o'clock Thursday evening.

Nearly 500 passengers will leave for the Far East on this liner, once again indicating that the C.P.R. is the most popular route. There will be one hundred in the first saloon, sixty in the second saloon, twenty-five in the third class and 350 steerage passengers.

In addition to the big passenger list the liner will carry capacity loads of manufactured goods, apples, grain and lumber.

While in the Orient the Empress of Asia will be dry-docked for her annual overhaul. This will mean that the liner will not be back here until the end of next January.

## SHIPPING INFORMATION

## SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Standard Time and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time) for the month of November, 1924.

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	6:49	4:54	15	7:32	4:33
2	6:50	4:53	16	7:33	4:32
3	6:51	4:52	17	7:34	4:31
4	6:52	4:51	18	7:35	4:30
5	6:53	4:50	19	7:36	4:29
6	6:54	4:49	20	7:37	4:28
7	6:55	4:48	21	7:38	4:27
8	6:56	4:47	22	7:39	4:26
9	6:57	4:46	23	7:40	4:25
10	6:58	4:45	24	7:41	4:24
11	6:59	4:44	25	7:42	4:23
12	7:00	4:43	26	7:43	4:22
13	7:01	4:42	27	7:44	4:21
14	7:02	4:41	28	7:45	4:20
15	7:03	4:40	29	7:46	4:19
16	7:04	4:39	30	7:47	4:18
17	7:05	4:38			
18	7:06	4:37			
19	7:07	4:36			
20	7:08	4:35			
21	7:09	4:34			
22	7:10	4:33			
23	7:11	4:32			
24	7:12	4:31			
25	7:13	4:30			
26	7:14	4:29			
27	7:15	4:28			
28	7:16	4:27			
29	7:17	4:26			
30	7:18	4:25			

## TIDES AT VICTORIA

Time of High and Low Water (Pacific Standard Time) for the month of November, 1924.

Day	High Water	Low Water	Day	High Water	Low Water
1	10:15	4:15	15	10:32	4:03
2	10:16	4:14	16	10:33	4:02
3	10:17	4:13	17	10:34	4:01
4	10:18	4:12	18	10:35	4:00
5	10:19	4:11	19	10:36	3:59
6	10:20	4:10	20	10:37	3:58
7	10:21	4:09	21	10:38	3:57
8	10:22	4:08	22	10:39	3:56
9	10:23	4:07	23	10:40	3:55
10	10:24	4:06	24	10:41	3:54
11	10:25	4:05	25	10:42	3:53
12	10:26	4:04	26	10:43	3:52
13	10:27	4:03	27	10:44	3:51
14	10:28	4:02	28	10:45	3:50
15	10:29	4:01	29	10:46	3:49
16	10:30	4:00	30	10:47	3:48
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24	10:38	3:52			
25	10:39	3:51			
26	10:40	3:50			
27	10:41	3:49			
28	10:42	3:48			
29	10:43	3:47			
30	10:44	3:46			

## NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are herewith notified that the unwatched acetylene light at Amphitrite Point, west coast of Vancouver Island, is reported not burning. This will be attended to as soon as possible.

## COASTWISE SAILINGS

To Vancouver

C.P.R. Vessels—2:15 p.m. and 11:45 p.m., daily.

To Seattle

C.P.R. Vessels—4:30 p.m., daily.

SS. Sol Duc—10:15 a.m., daily, except Sundays (via Port Angeles).

To Port Angeles

SS. Sol Duc—10:15 a.m., daily, except Sundays.

To West Coast

SS. Princess Maquina—11:00 p.m. on 1st, 10th and 20th of each month.

Gulf Island Route

SS. Otter leaves Belleville Street Wharf every Monday at 7:15 a.m., and every Wednesday at 8 a.m.

## C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighters, Nov. 13, left Port Alberni for United Kingdom.

Canadian Highlander, Oct. 23, left Glasgow for Victoria.

Canadian Importer due here today.

Canadian Traveler, Oct. 22, arrived Montreal.

Canadian Investor, Oct. 18, left Point Kembla for Sydney.

Canadian Planter, Oct. 3, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Prospector, Nov. 15, left Port Alberni for Halifax.

Canadian Scottish, Nov. 13, arrived Montreal.

## Skinner's Cove Basin Nears Completion



In a few months' time even the above picture will not be recognized as the new drydock, so rapidly is the work advancing on the huge basin. There is no doubt that if the work keeps up at the present rate, the second largest drydock in the world and the largest in the British Empire will be ready for official opening by the end of next Summer. The tenders are being called for the caissons now, and by the time they have been constructed the dock will be ready for their installation.

## Ocean and Coastwise Movements

## VESSEL MOVEMENTS

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TORONTO MAN  
CROSSES ENGLISH  
CHANNEL IN CANOE

CALAIS, Nov. 18.—P. C. Smythe, of Toronto, today succeeded in paddling alone in a canoe from Dover to Calais. He arrived here at 6 o'clock this evening.

GRANT IS DELAYED  
BY HEAVY WEATHER

WAS TWELVE HOURS BEHIND SCHEDULE YESTERDAY

Brought \$1,000,000 Silk Cargo and Fair Load of Passengers—Many Prominent People Aboard

Missing all the stormy weather in the Atlantic, the President Grant was delayed nearly twelve hours by the heavy weather outside the strait and did not dock from the Orient until 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

She brought a particularly valuable cargo from the Orient. There were 2,500 bales of silk stowed away in two holds. This is valued at nearly \$1,000,000, while the remainder of the cargo, the total value of her freight was \$8,000,000. There was a big shipment of Chinese walnuts for the holiday trade on board. One hundred and eighty tons were discharged here, including ninety tons for trans-shipment to Vancouver.

Prominent among the passengers on board were: B. S. Barnes, a silk trader, en route to New York; L. C. Lewis, of Portland, Ore., president of the Coast Commercial Company; Theodore Inkilar, a retired teacher of Balatavia, and Mrs. Inkilar, T. R. Minkiewicz, sales manager of the Liggett & Meyers Tobacco Company; A. R. Spearman, Olympic Games athlete; R. L. (Dinty) Moore, a hotel manager of China, and Mrs. Moore, and Ralph E. Earl, a motion picture cameraman.

SHOOT PICTURES OF  
WAR IN NORTH CHINA

Mr. H. T. Cowling Takes 8,000 Feet of Film of Chinese War—Had Many Narrow Escapes

Hertford T. Cowling, technical director of the Round-the-World Travel Pictures, of Chicago, who has been carrying on an active photographic campaign during the Chinese war, passed through Victoria yesterday aboard the President Grant, en route home after a two-and-a-half-year tour of the world, three months of which was spent in the Chinese war zone.

Over 8,000 feet of film was taken by Mr. Cowling of the Chinese war, depicting scenes along the firing line and the march of the triumphant troops into Peking.

In taking these pictures Mr. Cowling exposed himself to great danger. When traveling with General Wu on an inspection of the lines the officers he was with were bombed by enemy planes. The Chinese generals, he said, treated him with the greatest respect and showed him every courtesy, while he took pictures of the lines.

His pictures of the firing line, the only ones in existence, are now being shown in American theatres, Mr. Cowling said.

Ship Is Helpless  
With Shaft Broken

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 18.—The Norwegian steamship Romulus is drifting with a broken propeller shaft off Manzanillo, Mexico, according to a wireless message picked up here. The steamer Chincha was proceeding to her assistance.

Police Without Clue to Mysterious Cremation

CANADIAN MILLER  
DUE ON SATURDAY

MAKING FIRST TRIP TO THE PACIFIC COAST

Highlander and Electrician Bring Liquor Cargoes Next Week—Spinner Due Friday

With a big consignment of Intercoastal cargo, the C. G. M. M. Canadian Miller is due here next Saturday from Montreal. It was announced at the local office yesterday. This vessel is reported to have left the Panama Canal for Victoria on November 4. She has some 300 tons of cargo for discharge here.

The first of the two big liquor consignments due from the United Kingdom aboard C. G. M. M. freighters will arrive here next Monday on the Canadian Highlander. This vessel has 87,000 cases of liquor in addition to a big consignment of Christmas supplies and general.

Another vessel due here soon from the United Kingdom with Christmas supplies, but of the same company, is the Harrison-Direct liner Electrician. Latest advice states that she is due here November 25 with 500 tons of fancy Christmas liquors.

In the Intercoastal-Oriental service the Canadian Planter is due here this week-end to load approximately 300,000 feet of lumber, while the Canadian Spinner in the same service is due from the Orient next Friday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC  
LEADS SILK RACE

CARRIES LARGEST NUMBER OF BALES OVER OTHER LINES

October Export Figure on Silk Out of Yokohama Exceeded September Figure by 4,186 Bales

The Canadian Pacific exceeded all other trans-Pacific lines in the silk carrying business last month, it was learned on the arrival of the President Grant from the Orient yesterday.

Of the 25,872 bales of silk shipped from Yokohama last month, the Canadian Pacific Empresses carried 6,664 bales, with the Osaka Shosen Kaisha second with 6,493 bales. Next on the list was the Blue Funnel liners, which carried 5,330 bales, and then the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, with 5,144 bales.

The Toyo Kisen Kaisha, 700 bales on the list, having handled 3,538 bales of silk, while the Admiral Oriental Line experienced one of its worst months since the Japanese exclusion bill went into effect. They carried only 1,846 bales of silk. The Pacific Mail ships handled 723 bales, and the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, 700 bales.

October exports in silk showed an increase of 4,186 bales over the month of September. The falling off of the silk carrying business with the Admiral Oriental liners is attributed to the enforcement of the Japanese Exclusion Act.

Y.W.C.A. RECEIVES  
PRACTICAL TRIBUTE

Gift of \$10 Acknowledges Summer Visitors' Enjoyment—Numerous Gifts Recorded in Reports

Another direct tribute to the comfort and "homeliness" of the Young Women's Christian Association here was received recently when Mr. Perry, of Winnipeg, dropped into the office with a \$100 donation in acknowledgment of kindness shown to his mother during her visit here in the summer.

This was one of the incidents in connection with the life of the institution recorded at the regular meeting of the Board last week. The general secretary's report referred to the C.O.I.T. conference, extending to Friday, October 31, to the subsequent Sunday mass meeting, which was well attended. The house-girls' hallows' party was a success. Miss Wood being in charge of the programme. The C.O.I.T. also held a camp reunion supper in the building the same evening. Miss Fountain having been present, while she and Miss Allison, he addressed the leaders subsequently.

It was reported that several girls arriving from Great Britain had been delighted to find their "home from home" at the Y.W.C.A., and many of them had been helped to find employment. Supervised by Miss Stewart the Joy Club was doing good work assisted by Helen Green and Winnie Urquhart. Miss Hill, of Saanich, talked to the girls one day. The Chinese painting class in charge of Miss Weir was popular. Miss Grace Weirburn was again giving her valuable services to the group.

The Board passed a special vote of thanks to Miss Weirburn and Miss Mitchell.

The travelers' aid report showed that 171 boats had been met and 21 people assisted.

The following donations toward the Travelers' Aid were acknowledged: St. John's Guild, \$12; Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., \$2; Christ Church Cathedral, \$9; Miss Dalley, \$10; Esquimaux I.O.D.E., \$1; Colwood Women's Institute, \$5. Donations to the building fund included \$25 from the Metropolitan Ladies' Aid; \$15 from one of the girls; \$5 from Miss Turner; \$5 from the Victoria Women's Institute; and \$50 from the Order of the Royal Purple, Victoria Lodge No. 6.

Miss Lacy and Miss May Simpson give regular monthly donations.

Among recent visitors reported were Miss Arnold, of Bristol, England; and Mr. Reid, of the Canadian Immigration Department; and Miss Burnham, superintendent of the Women's Division of Colonization, Ottawa.

## Police Without Clue to Mysterious Cremation

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 18.—Police tonight admittedly were without a clue to the mysterious cremation charred body was found in the heating furnace in the basement of their Bexley home.

## Canadian Pacific Railway

**TORONTO EXPRESS**

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## TO THE GATEWAY PORTS OF THE WORLD

**Temple Bells are Ringing!**

—in far-off Eastern lands

Can't you feel the breath of



## ONTARIO LAUNCHES ANOTHER PARTY

MR. DUFFY HEADS NEW FARMER  
MOVEMENT

Three Hundred Remnants of Old  
Combine Form New Organiza-  
tion in Province

TORONTO, Nov. 18.—The remnants of the Ontario Farmer political party today abandoned all appeals to class consciousness, named itself the Ontario Progressive Party, laid plans to secure the support of all classes of the community and, under the leadership of ex-Farmer Duff, launched a crusade to eradicate the abuses of present party government.

There were three hundred delegates present from all parts of the province. The only dissentient voice was that of W. Good, Federal member for Brant, an early leader in the Farmers' Party. He was against the formation of a third party. The farmers, he asserted, should ally themselves with existing parties or continue direct political action through their own organization.

**Liberals Discuss Organization**

TORONTO, Nov. 18.—Provincial Liberal Leader W. E. N. Sinclair has called a meeting of his supporters for Monday, November 24, in Toronto. There will be a representative present from each of the 111 ridings in the province and, in addition, the Liberal members of the Legislature will attend. The delegates constitute the leader's advisory committee and the meeting is called primarily for the discussion of organization.

## GLASS FACTORY IS URGED FOR VICTORIA

Mr. F. A. Pauline, Ex-M.P.P., Tells  
of Island Opportunities—Glass  
Bottle Plant Urged

Urging Kwantlen to use their influence to foster public opinion in support of the Government's endeavor to secure control of the minerals in the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway belt as it has in other parts of the Province, and advocating the early establishment of a glass bottle manufacturing plant here, Mr. F. A. Pauline, ex-M.P.P. for Saanich, and former speaker of the Provincial Legislature, addressed members of the Victoria Kwantlen Club yesterday noon in the Chamber of Commerce on "Clearing the Way for Industry," and cited two practical proposals which he contended would prove opportunities for development and lessen the unemployment existing on Vancouver Island.

Mr. Pauline pointed out that between ninety and ninety-five per cent of the population of Vancouver Island lived in the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway mineral belt, which contained many extensive mineral-bearing districts.

**Condition Not Satisfactory**

The speaker explained the reason why the minerals had not been made use of, saying that the precious minerals belonged to the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, that is, the Canadian Pacific Railway. These minerals should be under dual control, and it is necessary to get titles for each. This condition is not sufficiently satisfactory to attract capital to these areas. Regulations towards securing for the Government the control of these minerals similar to its control of other mineral areas in British Columbia have been going on for some time, but as yet no settlement has been reached.

Mr. Pauline thought that a glass bottle manufacturing industry in or near Victoria should now be a commercial success, and would lead to the establishment of other industries, which will not come here until glass bottles can be produced in this Province at a cheaper rate than is the case at this time.

The speaker said that a glass bottle manufacturing industry could be started in Victoria on a capital of \$150,000, and he was confident that it would return from fifteen to twenty per cent on the investment. He stated that the best kind of sand for glass making was to be found in the British Isles and Europe, and this could be brought into British Columbia for one-quarter the price that manufacturers in the state of Oregon would have to pay. He pointed out that the market for glass bottles would not have to be far from created, because "we have it right here."

## WAR VETERANS TO DEBATE PROPOSAL

Representatives of Ex-Servicemen's  
Boards Will Decide on Attitude  
Towards City Elections

Representatives of ex-servicemen's organizations in the city will confer at noon either tomorrow or Friday in respect to the matter of lending support to candidates for municipal offices already in the field or else putting up ex-servicemen for the different posts, or whether no action will be taken by war veterans as a body at all in the conference.

Several conferences between representatives of the Army and Navy Veterans and the Great War Veterans' Association in connection with the suggestion that ex-servicemen be placed in the field for various municipal honors, and the Canadian Legion and Veterans of France were represented at the last meeting. No decision has been yet arrived at in the matter, but it is thought that some definite arrangement either one way or the other will be agreed upon at the next meeting.

At the meeting of the Great War Veterans' Association last night a financial statement was presented by the treasurer, which showed that the organization was in a most satisfactory state financially.

Members adopted the report of the Poppy Hall committee, which showed that the sum of \$200.20 had been forwarded to the St. Joseph's Hospital and \$200.19 to the Jubilee Hospital. The members are pleased to have been able to make this donation to these two worthy institutions, and the gifts undoubtedly will be greatly appreciated.

A number of routine matters were discussed by the Great War Veterans and the meeting ended with an impromptu smoking concert. A start in the Christmas billiard tournament was made, and some interesting and keen competitions are anticipated.

## Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except  
upon the proper signature and address of the  
writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

**Presbyterianism**

Sir,—The doctrinal standards of the Westminster Catechism, the shorter and larger, and the Confession of Faith. They are three statements of the same creed, termed "the Westminster Standards," because they were put together in England's great abbey, Westminster. They are termed the doctrinal standards of the Presbyterian Church, because the Presbyterian Church, the world over, has a doctrine or profession of faith for which she struggled, for which she fought, and to which she owes her existence. Just as the regiments of an army have their standards or colors which they carry, and exhibit on every battlefield, and prize all the more though stained with blood and dirt, and torn by bullets and other missiles of the enemies' resistance to the onward march of conquerors. So it is with respect to the Church of Christ. It also carries its standards, each of which has been raised aloft at a time of crisis in the march of the church's struggle for freedom, there are at least four of such periodic struggles, that of the church's birth, that of Nicola, that of the Reformation, and that under the present review.

The Westminster standards came not from Scotland but from England. The Church of Scotland had a confession of faith drawn out by John Knox in 1549 and ratified by the Scottish Parliament in 1567. The Puritans of England represented by Coverdale and Fox, aiming for a purer worship and a purer life, at a critical time in English history, when King Charles I and Parliament fell out, and when three great parties contended for mastery. The High Church party in the English church, the Puritans made up of Episcopallians, Presbyterians and Congregationalists, and the Roman Catholics. The King who favored the High Church party differed with Parliament on political grounds. He set aside the Constitution, and levied taxes on the people without authority of Parliament. In 1640 Parliament met to grapple with grievances in church and State. The persecutions carried on by the High Church party in the Church of England led many to seek refuge by flight to the United States. It is thus that the Puritans of England formed the United States of America today.

By request of Parliament an assembly of divines was called to meet at Westminster to assist Parliament in framing a system of doctrine in order to settle the affairs of the church in the matter of worship and Government. An enabling bill passed by Parliament June 1, 1643, called for an assembly of divines to meet on the month following. The assembly of divines which met in answer to the summons of Parliament on July 1, 1643, was not an Ecclesiastical Court, such as the Church of Scotland, or the Presbyterian Church of Canada. It was composed of individual divines who met for the sole purpose of advising Parliament as to the constitution of the church. The Westminster divines were made up of 121 of the ablest divines of England with thirty lay assessors including lords from all the counties of England and the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge.

The General Assembly of the Church of Scotland at the request of Parliament sent four commissioners to this body who were not even members of the assembly. The Westminster assembly was made up of Episcopallians, Independents and Presbyterians. The King forbade the meeting of assembly and the High Church party withdrew.

Most of those forming the assembly were distinguished for learning and piety. They were all tried men, many of whom suffered for conscience sake. The moderator, Dr. Twisse, a scholar and theologian whose ruling passion for knowledge may be gathered from his death-bed parting words: "Now at length I shall have leisure to follow my studies to the end." Richard Baxter says of this assembly "that the Christian world, since the days of the apostles, had never a synod of more excellent divines." "Phillip Schaff, the great church historian says, 'whether we look at the extent or ability of its labors, or its influence on future generations, it stands first among Protestant councils.'

Dean Stanley, an Episcopalian, says of the confession of faith, "that it exhibits far more depth of theological insight than any other." Dr. Curry, editor of Methodist Advocate, New York, says: "The Westminster confession of faith is the ablest, clearest, and most comprehensive system of doctrine ever framed."

The assembly began its work by a revision of the thirty-nine articles of the Church of Scotland. These articles are largely dependent on the Irish articles embodied in their confession of faith of 1615.

The duty of the assembly was to present a system of faith to serve as a bulwark against error, and to vindicate the doctrine of the church. They held 1,163 sessions, all of which were opened and closed with prayer, regularly every month throughout the five and a half years of its labors all business was suspended and the entire day set aside for fasting and prayer. Ministers were known to pray to edification for two hours at a time. Dr. C. A. Briggs says "that such a body of preaching and praying ministers as gathered in the Westminster assembly, the world had never seen before." These were times men felt the need of prayer. Every member of the Westminster assembly was required to take the following vow, which was read anew every Monday morning in order that its solemn influence might be constantly felt.

"I do seriously promise and vow, in the presence of Almighty God, that this assembly whereof I am a member, I will maintain nothing in point of doctrine but what I believe to be most agreeable to the word of God." One of the cardinal regulations of the assembly was in these words: "What any man undertakes to prove as necessary, he shall make good out of scripture."

E. MACQUEEN  
2743 Quadra Street, Victoria, B. C.,  
Nov. 12, 1924.

**Seven Years for Rape**

OWEN SOUND, Nov. 18.—Seven years' imprisonment in Port Arthur penitentiary was the sentence imposed on Dalton Wright, of Warton, convicted today by a jury on a charge of rape.

**Bank Robbers Get \$100**

TACOMA, Nov. 18.—Two bandits today held up the State Bank of Orting, Washington, near here, took about \$100 and, after being freed

## CONSERVATISM IS NEEDED TODAY

MR. J. W. JONES, M.P.P., REVIEWS  
BY-ELECTION RESULTS

Tells Women's Conservative Body  
Country Requires Those Things  
Which Party Stands For

Declaring that he felt that the present was the time for a Conservative government in British Columbia, and that the country required those things which Conservatives stood for, and expressing the hope that it would not be long before the Conservatives would be in power across the Bay, Mr. J. W. Jones, M.P.P. for South Okanagan, addressed members of the Women's Liberal-Conservative Club last night in the Liberal-Conservative Club rooms, Campbell Building. The gathering was presided over by the president, Mrs. R. P. Green.

Mr. Jones reviewed the various by-elections held recently in British Columbia, and gave interesting details in connection with the campaigns in the respective constituencies. He spoke of the results in North Okanagan and Yale ridings, where Conservatives were elected, and where rebukes had been administered to the Federal and Provincial Liberal Governments by the people in their action in turning down the Liberal candidates.

## DECLINES TO SEEK OFFICE ON COUNCIL

Mr. Mark W. Graham Will Not Enter  
City Election Field—Mr. W. H.  
Cullis to Stand for Alderman

Mr. Mark W. Graham, whose name has been prominently mentioned recently as a probable candidate for the City Council at the forthcoming elections, told the Colonist last night that he had definitely decided not to stand.

The number of aldermanic candidates in the election field was brought to nine yesterday with the announcement that Mr. W. H. Cullis, formerly King's Printer, would run for the Council.

Renewed efforts are being made to strengthen the party from men active in the various service clubs of the city. Mr. Archie Willis, popular gyro and well known as sporting editor of the Times, is being considered running for the Council as a result of the urgent solicitations of his friends and supporters.

## VISITORS MAKE TOUR OVER 'PHONE PLANT

The B.C. Telephone Company's staff were hosts to several hundred visitors yesterday who availed themselves of the company's invitation to visit the exchange on Blanshard Street where they were personally conducted through the different departments showing the working of the telephone apparatus in all its various details. This invitation is open to the public all this week. During the half holiday no doubt many will take advantage of the opportunity to take in this interesting and instructive reception.

## CONVENTION GIVES PREMIER SUPPORT

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action, he said, as an expression of confidence in himself and his Cabinet colleagues.

**Party Was Pledged**

It must be borne in mind, he said, that the Conservative party was pledged to a course on which it must be consistent. During the last year, given the electorate a promise that when an expression of opinion on the liquor question seemed appropriate, it would be made. During the last year, certain gentlemen had come to him and represented that the voters of the province were tired of the O.T.A., and here he had said, "I will do my best to call a plebiscite, they say." "The only thing to any of these gentlemen is that they failed in their attempt," the Premier continued. "What course could a self-respecting Government take except the one we have taken. It must be remembered the O.T.A., adopted as a war measure, has been voted on twice, and each time the majority had been in approval."

The convention closed following the speech.

**Leader Acknowledges Honor**

Expressing his satisfaction with the outcome of yesterday's national conference of Conservative leaders here, at which a national association of the Liberal-Conservative party was formed, Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen addressed the Ontario provincial convention of the party this morning. He would try to be worthy of the honor paid him by yesterday's conference in confirming him in the party leadership, he said.

In his recent tour of the West, Mr. Meighen said that he had found people not at all satisfied with the achievements of the present Government in its three years in office.

**An Abortive Conference**

Mr. Meighen made special reference to the taxation conference, which, he said, had proved abortive because the Government disavowed responsibility. The unemployment conference had found no solution of the problem it sought to face. That was because the one thing which could have furnished the key to the problem, that is, the fiscal question, was a subject tabooed by the chairman of the conference, Hon. James Murdock.

The Government, said Mr. Meighen, had taken away the protection on which national industry depended and offered nothing in return.

The national policy of Sir John Macdonald, said Mr. Meighen, was the remedy in its day, for business depression and all the attendant evils thereto.

**Well-Known Vancouver  
Artist Is Asphyxiated**

VANCOUVER, Nov. 18.—Mrs. H. H. Douglas, well-known local artist, was found dead this afternoon in her home on Beach Avenue, apparently accidentally asphyxiated. Her husband, who is employed by the Dominion Express Company, found her on returning home for lunch. Apparently she got up and lit the gas heater and returned to bed. In some way breaking the connection between the rubber tube and the gas pipe.

# Values That Will Make Four Hours of Brisk Business Today

A Limited Number of Women's  
Tailored Tweed  
COATS  
Values to \$25.00, On Sale for  
\$11.95

Tailored Coats, "Utility" styles, made of excellent grade polo cloth and tweeds. They are in belted effect, with convertible collar, patch or slash pockets, strap sleeves, and trimmed with leather buttons. Each coat is half lined with good material, and the sizes range from 16 to 44. The coats are stylish in appearance, and wonderful value. Regular to \$25.00. On sale for..... \$11.95  
—Mantle Dept., 2nd Floor

Tuxedo and Pull-Over All-Wool  
SWEATERS  
On Sale for \$1.98

All-Wool Tuxedo Sweaters, medium weight and suitable for indoor wear. These are neatly finished with two pockets and belt. Shades are green, black and white. Sizes 36, 38 and 40. On sale for..... \$1.98  
Fancy Knit Pull-Over Sweaters, with short sleeves and tie around waist; finished with colored edge around neck and sleeves; white only. Sizes 36, 38 and 40. On sale, \$1.98  
—Sweaters, 1st Floor

Flannelette and Voile  
Blouses, \$1.95

Voile Blouses, made in tuck-in styles, with tuxedo front, trimmed with imitation fillet lace and finished at waist with elastic. Very neat Blouses in white only. Sizes 34 to 44. On sale for..... \$1.95

Flannelette Over-Blouses, made with Bramley or convertible collars and long sleeves; patterned in striped effect and finished with hand at bottom; cream with contrasting stripes. Sizes 34 to 44. On sale, each..... \$1.95  
—Blouses, 1st Floor

## Ribbon Novelties

Ribbon Novelties in many dainty effects. This selection includes a large number of useful and inexpensive gifts that are always appreciated, such as lingerie sets, hair bands, novelty garters, fancy girdles, camisoles, bodice caps, handkerchief straps, leather dress decorations, corsage flowers. All at popular moderate prices.

Duchesse Satin Ribbon of excellent weight and quality, for making up your Christmas novelties. All widths, from 1/4 inch to 4 inches wide. Priced according to width, from a yard..... 5c to 65c

Novelty Ribbons of every description. A wonderful assortment of colorings, indispensable for many purposes. All the newest designs. Priced from a yard..... 10c to 60c

Two-Tone Reversible Satins, used extensively for making up lingerie sets and novelties of every description. Shown in pink and white, blue and white, mauve and white, pink and blue, mauve and pink, yellow and blue, yellow and pink, blue and mauve, gold and pink; 1/4 inch to 11 inch wide. Priced according to width, from a yard..... 12 1/2c to 35c

Dresden Ribbons of heavy quality silk taffeta, beautiful soft lustrous finish. Shown in distinctive designs and colors on light or dark grounds. Suitable for camisoles, dress fronts, handbags, sashes and hair bows; 4 1/2 to 9 inches wide. Regular values from 50c to 90c a yard. On sale for, a yard..... 25c, 30c, 40c and 60c  
—Ribbons, Main Floor

## Another Shipment of Penman's No. 95 Underwear for Women



Penman's No. 95 Vests, made with high neck and long sleeves, natural shape. Good weight for Winter wear. Sizes 36 to 44. Each, \$2.25 and..... \$2.75  
Penman's No. 95 Drawers, open style, to match above vests. Sizes 36 to 44. A pair, \$2.25 and \$2.75  
Women's Wool Vests, Penman's brand, with high neck and long sleeves; shown in cream. Sizes 36 to 44. A garment..... \$2.05

## Fleece Lined Underwear

For Women and Children

Children's Heavy Fleece-Lined Sleepers, one-button front, drop seat, made with feet. Keep the children warm from head to toe. Sizes for 1 to 9 years. Each..... \$1.25 to..... \$1.50  
Women's All-Wool Body Belts, in natural wool; all sizes. Each, \$1.25

Women's Extra Heavy Fleece-Lined Bloomers, in grey, with elastic at waist and knee; made with large gusset. Sizes 36 to 44. A pair..... 90c

Women's Extra Heavy Fleece-Lined Bloomers, in navy and sage; excellent weight, with elastic at waist and knee; made with large gusset. Sizes 36 to 40. A pair..... \$1.00  
—Kalt Underwear, 1st Floor

## Women's Flannelette Gowns and Bloomers

Today, Special Values  
Gowns of excellent quality flannelette, slip-on styles, in lace-trimmed or tailored finish. Sizes 36 to 42. Each, \$1.10  
Heavy Flannelette Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knee. On sale for..... 60c  
—Whitewar, 1st Floor

## Women's Fleece Cotton Under- skirts, \$1.69

Underskirts of heavy fleece cotton, grey shade. They are well made, finished with scalloped hem, and special value today at..... \$1.69  
—Whitewar, 1st Floor

## Pillow Cases Stamped for Em- broidery, Regular \$3.20 a Pair for \$1.98

Pillow Cases of an excellent grade tubular cotton, with hemstitched and scalloped borders. They are stamped for embroidery and are most excellent value. Suitable for Christmas gifts. Regular, a pair, \$3.20. On sale, \$1.98

Children's Aprons, made up and ready to embroider. Regular to \$1.19. On sale for..... 30c  
—Art Needlework, 1st Floor

## Children's Pull-Over Sweaters and All-Wool Petticoats, 89c

Children's Pull-Over Sweaters in loose weave, with girldle and long sleeves. Shades fawn and blue. Sizes for 8 to 12 years. Regular values to \$1.35. On sale for..... 89c  
One dozen Children's All-Wool Petticoats, red, grey and white. Sizes for 2, 4 and 6 years. Regular value, \$1.35. On sale for..... 89c  
—Children's, 1st Floor

## MEN'S SHIRTS \$1.75 and \$1.35

Men's Fine Negligee Shirts, made with neckband and double soft cuffs. There are printed percales and cord cloths in assorted patterns, black, blue or mauve on cream or white grounds; all sizes. Values \$1.50 and \$1.75. On sale for..... \$1.35

Five Dozen Men's Flannel Finish Cotton Outing Shirts, with collar attached and one pocket. "Big Horn" brand, made in Victoria. Patterned in fancy light or medium stripes; large in body and with buttoned hand cuffs; sizes 15 to 17-inch neck. On sale this morning, each..... \$1.75  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## Our "Civilian" Boots for Men, \$7.50

The "Civilian" Boots for men are really a dress boot for Winter; brown calf Bluchers, kid lined, with full double soles, Goodyear welted and have rubber heels. They combine style with comfort and are a "Challenge" value at per pair..... \$7.50  
—Men's Shoes, Main Floor

## Christmas Ties for Men

Two Good Values

12 Dozen Silk Ties, English make; wide end style. Offered in broadcases, stripes and polka dots. Each tie in a presentation box. Values \$1.00 for..... 85c  
Or..... 2 for \$1.25

Men's Art Silk Knit Ties, with shaped ends and in assorted colors and patterns. Value \$1.00 for..... 85c  
Or..... 2 for \$1.25  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## Men's Caps

Regular Values to \$2.25

\$1.00 Each

Men's English-Made Caps, of John McKenzie tweeds; shades include light and dark grey, light and dark brown; have plain or pleated backs; suitable for workmen sizes 6-8 to 7-14. On sale this morning for, each..... \$1.00  
—Men's Hats, Main Floor

